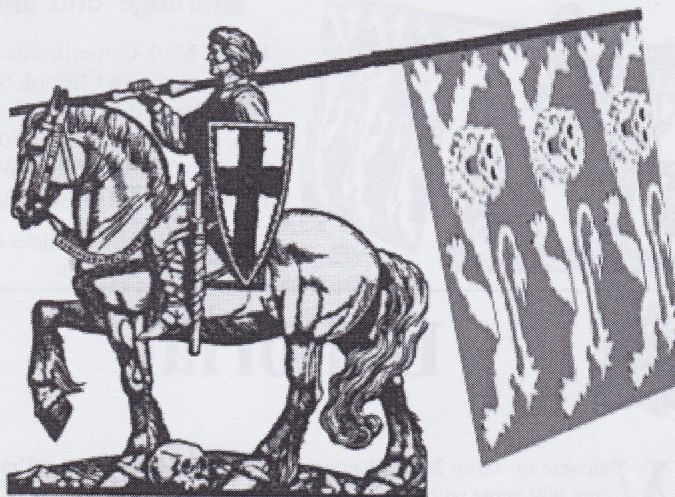


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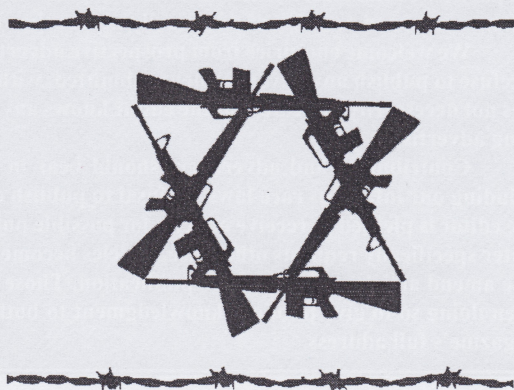
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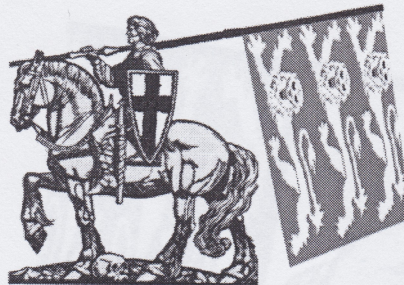
Should nationalists support Israel - or are we still anti-Zionists?



Nick Griffin (left) with Derek Holland on an official National Front delegation to Libya in 1986, after which the NF endorsed Qadhafi's *Green Book*. Now as BNP chairman Griffin endorses the opposite extreme of Zionist aggression against Hezbollah.

The BNP's Lee Barnes and H&D reader Tim May debate the party's new line on pages 3-9





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Editorial

Welcome to Issue 26 of *Heritage and Destiny*. Most readers I'm sure will agree with me that religious fanatics, regardless of what name they give their *jealous* god, invariably have one thing in common: no sense of humour. Particularly about themselves. It's hard to imagine Gareth Hurley taking 'Pope jokes' well isn't?

Today's Islamists seem to have not even a sense of irony. They fail to see the richness of the following sequence. The Pope makes a reference to a 14th-century Byzantine emperor's remark about Islam imposing itself by the sword, and to protest this linking of Islam and violence.

In the West Bank and Gaza, Muslims attack seven churches. In London, the ever-dependable radical Anjem Choudary tells demonstrators at Westminster Cathedral that the Pope is now condemned to death. And in Mogadishu, Somali religious leader Abubakar Hassan Malin calls on Muslims to "hunt down" the Pope. The Pope not being quite at hand, they do the next best thing: shoot dead, execution-style, an Italian nun who worked in a children's hospital.

"How dare you say Islam is a violent religion? I'll kill you for it." Is not exactly the best way to go about refuting the charge. But of course, refuting is not the point here. The point is intimidation.

First Salman Rushdie. Then the false *Newsweek* report about Koran-flushing at Guantanamo Bay. Then the Danish cartoons. And now a line from a scholarly disquisition on rationalism and faith given in German at a German university by the Pope.

And the intimidation succeeds: politicians bowing and scraping to the mob over the cartoons. Last month's craven *New York Times* editorial telling the Pope to apologize; the plague of self-censorship about anything remotely controversial about Islam - this in a culture in which a half-naked pop star blithely stages a mock crucifixion as the highlight of her latest concert tour. In today's world, religious sensitivity is a one-way street. The rules of the road are enforced by Islamic mobs and abjectly followed by Western media, politicians and religious leaders.

The fact is that all three monotheistic religions have in their long histories

wielded the sword. The Book of *Joshua* is knee-deep in blood. The real Hanukkah story, so absurdly twinned (by calendric accident) with the Christian festival of peace, is about a savage insurgency and civil war.

Christianity more than matched that lurid history with the Crusades, that began with the slaughter of Jews in the Rhineland, a kind of pre-season warm-up to the featured massacres to come against the Muslims, with the sacking of Byzantium (the Fourth Crusade) thrown in for good measure.

And Islam, of course, spread with great speed from Arabia across the Mediterranean and into Europe. It was not all benign persuasion. After all, what were Islamic armies doing at Poitiers in 732 and the gates of Vienna in 1683? Tourism?

However, the inconvenient truth is that after centuries of religious wars, Christendom long ago gave it up. It is a simple and undeniable fact that the violent purveyors of monotheistic religion today are self-proclaimed warriors for Islam who shout "God is great" as they slit the throats of infidels - such as those of the flight crews on 9/11/2001 - and are then celebrated as heroes and martyrs.

When Sheik Abd al-Aziz Fawzan al-Fawzan, professor of Islamic law, says on Saudi TV that "someone who denies Allah, worships Christ, son of Mary, and claims that God is one-third of a trinity. . . Don't you hate the faith of such a polytheist?"

Where are the demonstrations, where are the parliamentary resolutions, where are the demands for retraction when the Mufti Sheik Ali Gum'a

incites readers of *al-Ahram*, the Egyptian government daily, against "the true and hideous face of the blood-suckers . . . who prepare [Passover] matzos from human blood"?

The Pope gives offense and the Mujahedeen al-Shura Council in Iraq declares that it "will break up the cross, spill the liquor and impose the 'jizya' [head] tax; then the only thing acceptable is conversion or the sword." This to protest the accusation that Islam might be spread by the sword. As I said. No sense of irony.

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Zionist Controversy - Where Should the BNP stand?

BNP legal adviser Lee Barnes recently provoked argument within the party with an outspoken article calling on racial nationalists to support Israel. We republish Mr Barnes's article here, followed by a reply from H&D reader and veteran nationalist Tim May.

There are those in the Nationalist movement, both in the UK and elsewhere around the world, that regard the dispute in the Middle East between Hezbollah and Israel in Lebanon as a 'war'. For a start this is not a war. This is nothing more than a bad tempered border dispute.

60,000 British soldiers killed and wounded in just one day on the battlefield of the Somme is a war.

This is a bad tempered spat. More people die every day in Iraq than in this dispute. What is happening in Iraq is not described as a war, but this is. The use of the word 'war' to describe what is happening in Lebanon has nothing to do with logic, but is an aspect of the 'emotional propaganda' that the media use to bombard the public into sobbing submission. The images are designed to undermine rational interpretation and rather to appeal to primitive emotionalism. The fact that people still allow the media to manipulate them through the use of psychological warfare techniques utilised by the media and their corporate masters shows us the British people need to be taught critical media analysis skills. The fact the US government did not want pictures of the flag draped coffins of US troops on the news only a few months ago, should enlighten people as to the power of the image as an aspect of asymmetric warfare.

These so called 'Nationalists' that attack Israel at the whim of the media can also be found standing shoulder to shoulder with far Left-wing activists, Communists, the United Nations and various repugnant Islamic terrorist groups, and yet never seem to think about the logic of them doing so. Any 'alliance' that involves nationalists agreeing with the media and communists etc is based either on stupidity or a misunderstanding of the nature of the issue. They should start understanding the future, instead of navel gazing into the past.

Hezbollah are a terrorist group whose aims are to destroy Israel and then fight for a global *Jihad* and exterminate all non-Islamics and impose a global Islamic caliphate. Negotiation with such groups is a waste of time. It's a 'Them or us' situation. You cannot negotiate with a rabid dog, you can only kill it. Those that say that negotiation is possible with Hezbollah fail to understand that the aims of Hezbollah are not based on rational politics, they are based on theological absolutism. They do not want to negotiate with us, they just want to destroy us. Therefore terror must be met with terror.

The fact that 'Nationalists' are busy using the same facile, emotive and asinine language as the allegedly 'Zionist controlled media' in their increasingly shrill reportage on the dispute in the nationalist movement, shows how far they have become lost in their own political psychosis. The fact that the British media has become the European propaganda wing of Hezbollah and churns out endless montages of wounded children, old men and women whilst never showing any footage of dead Hezbollah terrorists, blown up Hezbollah weapons dumps and footage of bombed Hezbollah camps should get some people thinking.

For decades the lunatic fringe of the Nationalist movement has said that the media is controlled by the 'Jews' and Israel. The reports from the BBC, and the rest of the British media, are so anti-Israel and pro-Hezbollah that such a contention has been revealed to be total rubbish. The fact is that Israel has adopted one of the most restrained invasions in world history. They have leafleted the areas where they are about to strike before they hit those targets. That's not something NATO did in Serbia when it bombed the Serbs to assist the Kosovan Muslims in their campaign of ethnic cleansing. When they bombed the trains and TV station they did not warn the public and the media beforehand.

We hear from the media all the time how the British government did not bomb the IRA in their strongholds in Southern Ireland. The fact is that a true nationalist government would never allow terrorists to operate with impunity in another nation if those terrorists are using that ground to attack another nation. The BNP, as a true nationalist movement, would not have balked at bombing IRA arms stores and training camps in Southern Ireland if the Southern Ireland government did not seize those weapons and close down those camps. If they had not stopped the IRA - we would have.

Either the UK media in Lebanon is inept and cannot find those damaged Hezbollah military sites (here's a tip lads - follow the

smoke and the big bangs), the media are biased in that it doesn't want to show Hezbollah's military losses and only wants to show Israel as the aggressor, the media are cowardly as it is far easier and safer to attack Israel than report the truth in Lebanon in case the Hezbollah terrorists get annoyed by their reports and kidnap the journalists as they did with Terry Waite or the media have allowed themselves to become complicit in the asymmetric warfare techniques of Hezbollah by only showing the footage Hezbollah wants them to show on TV to undermine support for Israel.

The other option is that the media have an 'agenda' in relation to their reporting. The obvious agenda for the media is to assist in ending nationalism as an ideology and the destruction of nationalist states like Israel. For the BBC this is the fundamental principle of their entire existence. The media want Israel to end this dispute not because they are motivated by some superior moral code or care for the Lebanese people, for it is a fact that the media themselves are the equivalent of vultures feeding with their cameras on the corpses in War Zones for profit, but because they want this dispute to cease as they support the creation of the International New World Order. In the New World Order the global media, and the media barons that control the media, will then control the planet and anyone who dares defy the corporations will be destroyed.

They want all nation states destroyed and nationalism itself destroyed. That way the media and the corporations will control the planet through their control of the perceptions people have of the world itself. They regard nations as obstacles to their end goal of a miscegenated, deracinated, consumer slave mass where human beings are cattle in pens without identities, a past, a home, a future and to be bought and sold as they wish.



Hezbollah leader Sheikh Hassan Nasrallah, with minders, addresses the faithful. According to the BNP Islam is the greatest current threat to white Britons.

The media, and the pet politicians of the New World Order that are also calling for a ceasefire, are all stooges of the United Nations, the European Union and the rest of the International Elite that regard Nationalism and nation states as historical anachronisms that must be wiped out. All true nationalists should be supporting Israel in this struggle not attacking them for rejecting the orders of the New World Order. The example of the resistance of Israel against the New World Order should give hope to all those of us who want our nations back and the end of the international era to begin. If Israel can defy the New World Order then so can we. If Israel is a democracy, then we can be a similar democracy. Israel is the model for a nation that understands the importance of putting the interests of the nation and the people before all other factors.

As a Nationalist I can say that I support Israel 100 % in their dispute with Hezbollah. In fact, I hope they wipe Hezbollah off the Lebanese map and bomb them until they leave large greasy craters in the cities where their Islamic extremist cantons of terror once stood. The 21st Century is the Islamic Century. Unless we start to resist the threat of Islamic

extremism then within 100 years the West will have become Eurabia.

During the Second World War when we faced V1 and V2 rockets and missiles targeting our cities we reacted with a campaign of targeted aerial bombings and strikes across Germany. The fact that the same rockets killing Israeli citizens are the same as those used by the Russians in World War 2 against the Germans is an irony of history. The fact that the new rockets being used by Hezbollah, the Fajr-3, have a range of 80 kilometres means Israel has no choice but to destroy Hezbollah's bases before these rockets come raining down in their thousands on Israel. In such circumstances a pre-emptive strike is essential for the survival of the Israeli state. You cannot allow terrorists to launch thousands of rockets at your nation. If the IRA had launched rockets from Southern Ireland into Northern Ireland then the BNP would have retaliated with air strikes on those sites and wiped them out. We would not have sat there watching them fly over us and then debate whether we should ring the UN for permission to knock on the door of the Southern Irish embassy and ask them politely to tell the IRA 'would you mind awfully stopping firing those missiles at us old chap.'

Unlike the UK the Israeli government does not reward Islamic terrorism by giving money to Islamic groups linked to terrorism and extremism and does not impose laws on the victims of Islamic terrorism and ban any criticism of Islam as a reward for murdering us. The Labour government in Britain, unlike Israel, has given into the Muslim extremists in the UK, and the government is itself linked to Muslim extremist groups and has let extremist imams into the country to spread hatred against Jews and White Christians.

Even the EU hides the truth of Muslim violence in Europe. The whole political structures of Europe are senile, corrupt and weak. The EU and the politicians that run our nations are the greatest assets of the terrorists. They are the weakness that we must shed if we are to survive.

It appears that in their historical hatred for Israel many Nationalists have forgotten the future threat of Eurabia and Londonistan. We have not. It was only a few months ago that Muslim extremists were celebrating the murder of British citizens in the 7/7 bombings during the cartoon protests. Attacks on Jews in the UK by Muslims are also linked with the rise in murders of young Whites like Ross Parker and Kriss Donald. The Muslim extremists that are targeting the Jews in

the Middle East and in the UK are also murdering our young people in the UK in the name of their filthy Jihad. They are the enemies of our people as much as they are the enemies of Israel. The fact that British Nationalists cannot see that tolerating the murder of Jews in the name of *Jihad* in Israel will lead to the murder of Christians and Whites in the UK in the name of *Jihad*, shows they have no understanding of the nature of the enemy we face.

White slavery, Islamic Corsairs raiding Cornwall and Ireland, millions of our people taken to the slave markets of the East, the atrocities inflicted against Russian soldiers in Afghanistan, against Serbian Christians and the horrors of Beslan, riots and murders are the future for the West unless radical extremist Islamic terrorists and their supporters in the West are crushed.

Lebanon has to learn that allowing terrorists to crawl in its streets and unleash terror across the world is an invitation for retribution. That is a lesson that many other nations also need to learn.

Israel is the only living organic nationalist state on the planet. They live only as they still have the will to fight and wage war. The West is now a senile culture, it sleeps in dreams of its

former glory whilst a new generation of barbarians is besieging its gates. In its quest for gold it has ignored the real dangers it has created for us all.

Those nationalists that attack Israel no longer understand that nations such as Israel are the only true nationalists left on the planet. They place the interests of the people at the heart of their politics. That is the true nature of nationalism.

The fundamental principle of Nationalism is that it is for the nation as a sovereign entity to decide for itself when its national security is threatened and also how it should respond to that threat. Israel is the only nation state in the world today that still defends the fundamental principle of nationalism - that it is for the people of that nation to decide how to respond to an attack, and that no nation needs to get the permission of the United Nations or the European Union, or any other cabal of capitalists and crooks, before it begins to fight against any internal or external aggressors.

Many British nationalists even support Hezbollah even though Hezbollah are linked with groups that have murdered British tourists, kidnapped British citizens and Hezbollah have planted bombs on British streets. They are so busy listening to the propaganda of the media and the anti-jewish lunatics to start thinking.

Hezbollah have kidnapped around 30 White Westerners between 1982 and 1992, including the U.S. journalist Terry Anderson, British journalist John McCarthy, the Archbishop of Canterbury's special envoy Terry Waite and Irish citizen Brian Keenan. They specialised in kidnapping White Christians and holding them in chains for ransom.

On July 18, 1994, a powerful bomb was driven in through the front gates of the AMIA building in the Once district near downtown Buenos Aires. The building was a large seven-story structure which was the community site of Argentina's small Jewish community. The bomber exploded and eighty-five people died, most of them Jewish, though some non-Jewish people died in the explosion as well. More than three hundred others were wounded.

On July 26, 1994, just eight days after the AMIA bombing, the Israeli Embassy in London was car bombed by two Palestinians who were linked with Hezbollah. The United Kingdom, Israel and Argentina all blamed Hezbollah for organising the attack.

The Hezbollah car bomb exploded outside the Israeli embassy in London, injuring 20 people. The car was packed with 20 to 30 pounds of explosives, and blew up minutes after the driver left it. Thirteen



Israeli troops scan the horizon: should the BNP support their campaign to crush the Islamic threat?

hours later a similar car bomb exploded outside a Jewish charity in North London.

Two Palestinian science graduates who were educated in the UK, Jawad Botmeh and Samar Alami, with links to Hezbollah were apprehended in 1995, and found guilty of the bombings in 1996. They were sentenced to 20 years in jail, and lost their appeal in 2001.

The conflict in Lebanon has also vomited up another old face from recent terrorism cases in the UK. Syrian born radical Islamist Sheikh Omar bin Bakri Muhammad, who lived in London and was linked to many of the Islamic terrorists in the UK was the founder of the London branch of Hizb Al-Tahrir (the Islamic Liberation Party), and of the organization "Jama'at Al-Muhajiroun".

It is clear that Israel and the UK face the same enemy - suicide bombers on the streets of Tel Aviv have been British Muslims. Bakri was the spokesman of Osama bin Laden's International Islamic Front for Jihad against Jews and Crusaders. This organization, by Bakri's own admission, was involved in raising funds for Islamic terrorist groups such as Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad, and was "in touch" with Hezbollah. The fact that Bakri has now appeared in Lebanon proves his links with Hezbollah. Bakri has further claimed that in the past he recruited volunteers for training in paramilitary camps located in the U.S. and Lebanon.

In an interview, Bakri has said that The International Islamic Front for Jihad against the Jews and the Crusaders, created by Osama bin Laden and run in the UK by Bakri had actively supported Hamas and the Palestinian Islamic Jihad. "We collect funds to be able to carry on the struggle; we recruit militiamen; and sometimes we take care of these groups' propaganda requirements in Europe."

According to Bakri, The Islamic Front has recruited thousands of Islamic terrorist volunteers in Britain and sent them to Jordan, where they have awaited opportunities to infiltrate into the West Bank and join the fight against Israel. Recruits from Britain have also been sent to Lebanon, where they were trained in Palestinian refugee camps. "In the Ein Al-Hilweh camp, for instance, new mujahideen are being recruited and trained with the aim of opening up another front in south Lebanon."

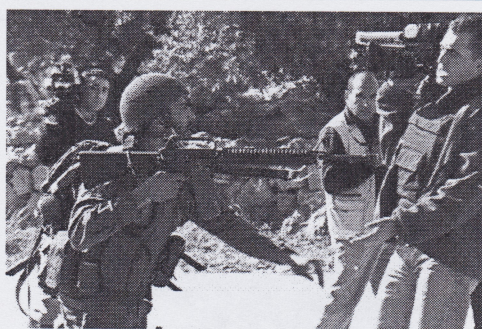
Bakri added that the International Islamic Front is also "in touch with Hizballah and with Islamic movements such as Usbat Al-Ansar, which are determined to fight for the liberation of Jerusalem." Ein Al-Hilweh camp has links with Al Qaeda and other radical foreign Islamists.

It was not Israel that started this dispute. The United Nations Security Council Resolution 1559 (passed on 2 September 2004) called for the immediate "disbanding and disarmament of all Lebanese and non-Lebanese militias". Under the UN resolution the elected Government of Lebanon is responsible for the disbanding and disarming of the Hezbollah militias and also for preventing the flow of armaments and other military equipment to the militias from Syria, Iran, and other external sources that equip and fund the terrorists. Lebanon has rejected Resolution 1559 and refused to tackle the militias. This failure to act against the Hezbollah rocket teams and terrorists firing missiles into Israel has led to the present Israeli military retaliation against vital Lebanese infrastructure and Hezbollah assets to force action by the Lebanese government to disarm Hezbollah. If the Lebanese government won't act by choice, then they must be forced to act.

Then on July 12, 2006 members of a Hezbollah terrorist unit infiltrated the Lebanese-Israeli border near Shtula, and entered an Israeli farming village. Hezbollah then claimed responsibility for an

ambush conducted on two Israeli Army Humvees. The attack on the army team resulted in the capture of two Israeli soldiers and the deaths of three others. Five more Israeli soldiers were killed in the ensuing pursuit of Hezbollah members into Lebanese territory. The combined capture of the two Israeli soldiers and the deaths of the eight others was considered the worst loss for Israeli military forces in more than four years.

The world may have forgotten March 19th 1988 when two British soldiers, corporals Derek Wood and David Howes were dragged from their car by a republican mob, beaten, and then taken to a remote area near Belfast's Milltown Cemetery and shot dead. If the British government had then resolved to crush the IRA on that day the same way the Israeli government has decided to crush Hezbollah, then we would not have had the hundreds of people killed in the IRA bombings and attacks since that day. Sinn Fein would also now not be in government and the terrorist scum of the IRA would not be playing at being politicians for the cringing sycophant of the IRA, Peter Hain the Northern Ireland Secretary, who was linked with ANC terrorism in South Africa before he fled the country and claimed political asylum in the UK.



Israeli aggression has been condemned by some media outlets - which side should we be on?

The leader of Hezbollah, Sayyed Hassan Nasrallah, is also no friend of the Lebanese or Palestinian people. He has used the plight of the Palestinian people as his political and propaganda trump card, posturing as the defender of the Arab world while simultaneously putting pressure on the Lebanese government through Hezbollah and Syria to keep Palestinians from obtaining full citizenship and legal rights in Lebanon, where they are denied access to many professions.

Amnesty International has issued reports stating how badly the Lebanese government treats the Palestinian refugees. The fact that various liberals, nazis and leftists all say that the problem is the plight of the Palestinians is utter rubbish. Hezbollah have ensured the Palestinians in Lebanon stay in poverty and squalor so as to feed on the resentment it causes. Islamic extremists use the Palestinian people to justify terrorism as the IRA used the issue of the brutality of the British Army to justify murdering and terrorising Catholics in their own community.

Beyond the excuses they are all just murdering scum.

Hezbollah have also been involved in attempts to destabilise the country according to Lebanese Christians. It controls some 25% of the national territory. Almost 400,000 of Lebanon's estimated 4m inhabitants live under its control. It collects its own taxes with a 20% levy, known as *khoms*, on all incomes. It is in fact the *de facto* government of whole swathes of Lebanon. If Lebanon won't remove them, then Israel must do the job. Any nation that tolerates such a state of affairs is complicit through inaction.

This is in fact the start of World War 4, with its roots in the victory of Charles Martel over Islam in the Battle of Tours in 732 AD. Islam is once again awakening, and the West must awaken as well.

The 21st Century will either see the rebirth of the West and the rise of Nationalism, or the conquest of the West by Islam via demographics and the use of Oil as an aspect of Asymmetric Warfare. Hezbollah want to destroy Israel, then run the entire Middle East and then use the Middle East and its oil supplies to start a war on the rest of the world.

It is in our long term interests that Hezbollah are ground into dust by Israel as that way we don't have to do it in the future.

This struggle cannot be avoided, therefore it must be faced and won.

Lee Barnes, London, England

Editors Note: This article first appeared on the BNP's website - www.bnp.org.uk

Nasrallah and Albion's Future

A debater, given to scoring points by feasting on his opponent's inconsistencies, could have much to say about the BNP's recent posting of several pro-Israel, anti-Islamic analyses on the current war in Lebanon. This hypothetical critic would note the fact that less than two decades past the current chairman of the BNP, in his leadership role in the official National Front of the late Eighties, was supporting the likes of Libya and Iran. Moamar Qadhafi's *Green Book* and the Ayatollah Khomeini's collected writings featured prominently in NF book catalogues of the period. In fact, the former's *Green Book* was, for a time, required reading for NF cadres. Support for the cause of Islam was so great that it was the adoption of a two-state solution to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict (as opposed to endorsing the destruction of Israel leading to one Palestinian state) by some members of the then Directorate and the elimination of anti-Jewish literature from the organization's book lists that led (along with other factors) to the splitting of that group into Third Position (pro-Islamic) and Third Way, which was generally willing to grant Israel's legitimacy.

Even after his departure from Third Position, Nick Griffin, as he made his way up the ranks of John Tyndall's BNP, was very much concerned with the "Jewish question" and the promotion of Holocaust Revisionism. Thus, the current change of position, when accompanied by the seeming abandonment of the issue of immigration of non-Islamic (albeit non-White) peoples is indicative of much profound ideological "flexibility." Indeed, another issue that distinguished the Third Position of Nick Griffin from the Third Way of Patrick Harrington was that the former endorsed the forced repatriation of all non-Whites from Great Britain while the latter only spoke about a voluntary programme. This too has been forgotten in the current BNP.

Now, there is nothing wrong with a man changing his mind. Actually, it is, at times, a sign of honesty when we admit that we have been wrong. And there is no doubt that in politics there are times when short term pragmatism will lead us to adopt positions calculated to achieve interim results, while postponing the subsequent articulation of our real beliefs. The role of pragmatism in public advocacy is a legitimate, prudential question about which sincere men may argue.

But there is some reason to pause when the BNP now tells us, as it does in its web page introduction to Mr. Lee Barnes's recent article, that it has now moved beyond "the leg-irons of conspiracy theory" (What would AKC say about that?) and "the thinly veiled anti-Semitism that held this party back for two decades." The real enemy we are now told are the "liberal-leftists" and "multiculturalists" and the current real demons, the "Crescent Horde - the endless wave of Islamics who are flocking to our shores to bring our Island nations into the embrace of their barbaric desert religion." This is quite a change for the man who once posed while visiting Libya under a picture of "Colonel" Qadhafi and supported the goal of some Palestinian nationalists to destroy Israel.

But despite the doubts that we may harbor about the sincerity of one so adept at re-thinking his views, we are not going to pursue this matter any further. For the purposes of this article we will assume that Nick Griffin is a truth seeker whose views sincerely evolve as he re-thinks them or when he finds it more strategically prudent to silence his earlier ideals. We will accept his current opinions as sincere and limit ourselves to the issues at hand.

The Barnes article has several key points, in order of their presentation: 1) Nationalists who oppose Israel, since they share a position also embraced by leftists and "repugnant Islamic terrorist groups" must be either "stupid" or "misunderstand" the issues. 2) The British media is anti-Israel and pro Hezbollah because "Israel is the only organic nationalist state on the planet." 3) Nationalists should "support Israel 100%" and hope that they "bomb (Hezbollah) until they leave large greasy craters in the cities where their cantons of terror once stood." 4) We must never

"reward terrorism." 5) Hezbollah is guilty of a "catalogue of terror." 6) The "cause of the current dispute" is the Hezbollah attack of July 12th. 7) Since "Hezbollah" and Islam in general want to "start a war with the rest of the world" we should support Israel today in order that "we don't have to do it in the future."

Before turning to these specific arguments it is worth first exploring some prior questions concerning Israel/Zionism, the Islamic world and the relation of both to the racialist cause in Britain and elsewhere.

Israel, and the Zionist ideology which spawned it, have left the nationalist movement in a quandary. Theodore Herzl, Zionism's first advocate, believed that it was impossible for Jews to live in Europe without anti-Jewish sentiments and, at times, actions, being the result. He therefore called for a Jewish return, *en masse*, to their ancestral homeland in what was then Ottoman-controlled Palestine. If this programme could have been simply implemented and all Jews had left Europe to live happily ever after in what was, in Herzl's view, an empty land, one which their people had lived in two thousand years before - well, who would have been unhappy?

The problem was, and is, that matters were never that simple. First, the land was not uninhabited. And, if this mattered little to Herzl and the colonialist mentality of the Victorian age, it mattered a great deal to the people who were actually living there. At the same time that Herzl was trying to sell his idea to the leaders of Europe, Arab nationalism was growing in the Middle East and, although it did not yet see itself in specifically Palestinian terms, it wanted to be free of the Turkish

yoke and achieve self-determination. Thus two peoples, one that had been there long ago and seemed unable to find acceptance elsewhere, and another which yearned for freedom in a place where they had lived for centuries, were clearly on a collision course.

Second, despite the fate of European Jewry in the Second World War, which seemed to verify Herzl's fears, the vast majority of world Jewry opted, even after the founding of Israel, to live in Gentile nations. Herzl had not succeeded in taking the Jews out of their exile. They remained there and frictions often continued unabated. In very fact that Jews continued to pursue their multi-cultural agenda in Gentile nations while they zealously guarded the homogenous character of Israel opened them up to the charge of pursuing a double moral standard.

The morality of a people opting to return to their homeland, after two thousand years, is clearly an open question. It is certain, though, that were the British people to be forcibly exiled from these islands but somehow managed to maintain an attachment to them over thousands of years and finally returned home by force of arms to re-establish themselves, nationalists would see it as a glorious accomplishment.



The BNP's Lee Barnes argues that racial nationalists must oppose Hezbollah's Sheikh Hassan Nasrallah (above) and endorse Israel's Ehud Olmert (below) who has inherited the mantle of war criminal Ariel Sharon





Israeli children attach anti-Arab messages to missiles heading for Lebanon. Presumably Lee Barnes endorses their sentiments?

On the other hand that is no reason for the Palestinians to have surrendered their land. It was in view of these two radically divergent perspectives that the UN in 1947 voted to divide the land in half, with Jerusalem to be a neutral, internationalized city. This proposal was rejected by the Arabs who preferred instead to attack the newly formed Jewish state. And, as nationalists, we can understand them as well. Let us suppose that some Jebusites showed up in Israel today and claimed the land because their ancestors had lived there before Joshua's conquests. What would Israel's reaction be? So, too, the Palestinians rejected the UN's willingness to give away half their land.

The rest, as they say, is history. Both sides have been going at it hot and heavy for half a century. Understandable. Unfortunate. Perhaps, some day a compromise of sorts can be reached. Perhaps, some day one side will totally destroy the other. Or, perhaps, they'll just go on fighting forever. A fascinating and tragic tale.

What though, should it mean for European nationalists? At first glance, one might say, precious little. Locked in our own struggle to save our peoples, races, faiths and cultures, why would this sad story of two peoples elsewhere on the globe be of any difference to us?

A sound point. Once again, if only it were that simple. The fact is, though, that we are there. British and American troops fight on in Iraq and Afghanistan. Huge sums are sent in aid to that part of the world. And not only are we there; they are here. Tremendous influence is exerted by Jewish lobbies to convince the governments of the "Atlantic coalition" to support right-wing Israeli policies. In ever growing numbers (more so in Britain at present) Muslims are a presence and their loyalty to the *ummah* seems very much intact. The more radical among them see our actions over there as a pretext to wage war against our civilians here. So, there

seems to be no choice. An understanding of the rise of Islam and what a British nationalist's approach to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict should be seems unavoidable.

The nationalist sympathetic to Islam generally believes three things. First, he is convinced that if not for American and British support for Israel and consistent meddling in the affairs of the Islamic world there would be no "conflict of civilizations" at all. It is all entirely of our making. Should we allow the Islamic world to live in peace with their faith/culture intact and not support Israel there would have been no 9/11, no bombing of the London underground or Spanish trains.

He further believes that in terms of the culture of Europe we stand threatened, just as does the Islamic world, by American hegemonic, globalist, anti-culture.

He usually has some sense that our alliances should be to the east, with Russia perhaps, but certainly with Islam, as we fight for a spiritual/cultural concept of society in opposition to the materialistic and individualistic, secularized capitalism of America and its satellites. This was largely the position of the official National Front in its final permutations two decades ago and of Third Positionist groups at present.

Today, though, this position must deal with a situation that was just beginning back then. It is 2006. Islam is here. The "French" national football team is mainly an Islamic, African amalgamation. Mosques replace Churches in Italy. The Islamic population of Britain grows and maintains its traditional faith and cultural loyalties. What appealed to the inner Lawrence-of-Arabia of some Eighties nationalists is far less alluring when the Kasbah is here, rocking us.

This is how the BNP chairman's flip flop is best understood. Chanting "Long live death" and donating the *Green Book* to London libraries may have been fun before they were here. At present Islam is in Albion and is very, very angry. One would be hard pressed today to find nationalists in Britain who would, as did zealous official NFers in the late 1980s, drive by their local Mosques shouting *Allah Akhbar*!

On the other hand this perspective still harbours a certain affection for Islamic resistance to Israel and the Anglo/American invasion of Iraq. Is this simply a case of anti-Jewish sentiments? Or, is it possible that a strong opposition to Islam being here may co-exist with a sympathy for Islamic self interest over there? This view is best summarized as opposing both global Islam and global Zionism while supporting, over there, Islam over Zionism.

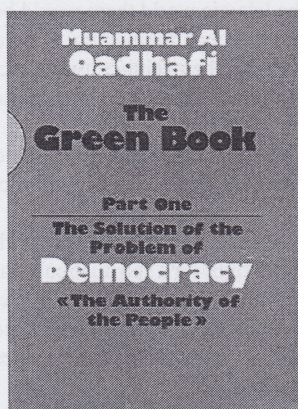
Despite the adoption of pro-Islamic sentiments by the official NF back in the late 1980's, the other NF faction, the Flag group was never convinced that Islam was quite the cat's meow. They took to the streets to denounce Islamic terror in Britain and throughout the world. The easy acceptance of brutal attacks against civilians seemed, to this orientation, to be profoundly at odds with Northern European notions of real heroism and compassion for the weak and defenseless. This was especially the case, as Barnes points out, since the terror was, at times, directed against European, indeed, British peoples.

In these, more traditional, nationalist circles the idea that the Third World might be a suitable ally for Europeans in their struggle against the emptiness and aggressive multiracialism of America was always a bit odd.

And there seems to be a decided consistency to this older nationalist position in that it has viewed all non-White immigration, not just Islamic, as equally threatening to long term British survival and continuity.



A powerful symbol of the Intifada - a rock-throwing Palestinian child confronts an Israeli tank



During the 1980s Nick Griffin's NF faction (above) including present-day Cllr Phil Andrews (far left) strongly supported the anti-Zionist cause - although prominent skinhead Nicky Crane (far right) had his own problems with some Muslim attitudes! The Griffin faction tried to sell *The Green Book*, written by Libyan dictator Colonel Qadhafi, and obtain funds from the Libyan regime.

As far as the Israel question goes this viewpoint has never, unlike the pro-Islamic ideology, gushed with sympathy and support for the Palestinians. They were seen as a foreign people in a distant land whose choice military method of blowing up women and children left much to be desired and was similar in barbarism to that of Irish Republicanism. In some older nationalist circles a general dislike for Jews and their tendency to support multi-racialism tended to translate into a vague anti-Israeli orientation but, provided that the conflict made no demands on our peoples, it was viewed of no relevance.

In the middle of yet another round in the Palestinian/Israeli century of conflict, Hezbollah decided to launch a minor incursion into northern Israel there to capture two Israeli soldiers. (Here too semantics are coloured by rhetoric. Palestinian sympathizers described it as a "capture" since a state of military conflict supposedly exists between them and Israel. Whereas Israeli supporters call it a "kidnapping" since Hezbollah is not a nation and no state of true war exists.)

The Israeli government, which has over the past decade departed from its no-prisoner-exchange approach of previous years, now had a choice. It could quietly exchange some prisoners for its soldiers. This would certainly have ended the matter for now but would also leave them open to continued incursions of this sort. They could have replied with a small border incursion or hurled some shells into Lebanon. Or they could respond more firmly, based upon the belief that the presence of a hostile militia on their northern border would always be a source of danger. Ehud Olmert, already suffering from rightist critics of his disengagement from Gaza policy, who pointed out that despite returning Gaza to the Palestinians (to some degree) rockets continued to be fired at southern Israeli towns, decided, as he already had in response to the Gazan incursion, to answer with massive force.

Here critics and strategists diverge. Some feel that Olmert sincerely felt that an air war would cause Hezbollah to somehow suffer a defeat by convincing the Lebanese people that it wasn't in their best interests to allow the militia free reign. Others think that he always intended the even-

tual ground war. Did he know that his actions would provoke the launching of over four thousand missiles against northern Israel? On the other side of the spin - did Nasrallah anticipate the Israeli response? Was his real intention to simply cause a prisoner exchange? Or was it to open a second front that would relieve some of the pressure being applied to the Palestinians in Gaza? Or to simply show the world that his group was still a player?

We will probably never know the real motivations and knowledge of the major participants. What is clear is that for a month the conflict raged. At the end nothing had changed. Everyone seemed to want a break so a ceasefire was declared. Each side claimed they had won, although to this neutral observer, at least, it seemed that Hezbollah had triumphed. They still had the Israeli soldiers. The Islamic world and, due to the heavy Israeli bombing even many non-Islamic Lebanese, saw Israel as the bad guys. The militia was still armed and the Israelis were withdrawing. What had Olmert really accomplished?

It is against this backdrop that we now turn to the Barnes article and the new BNP orientation or, at very least, the newly acceptable possible viewpoint.

1) Barnes tells us that it is inherently wrong to support any position that the left also advocates. This argument seems almost unworthy of discussion. Surely the left will, at times, posit things that we agree with? Many on the far left oppose the EU and global capitalism. Should we adopt the opposite positions simply because the left sees things as we do? This is surely not meant as serious argument.

2) The British media is anti-Israel because Israel is an organic nationalist state. In fact, Barnes tells us, it is the only such state on the planet. Assuming the British media is actually anti-Israel, is it because Israel is an organic nationalist state? Following this notion of the British media it should also be anti-America. Is America an organic nationalist state? And what is the significance of Israel's being such a state. Isn't, say, Pakistan such a state? What of it?

This brings us to points 3, 4 and 5, that Hezbollah is a terrorist organization and that we should welcome Israeli bombings of them, apparently intentionally targeting civilians. The notion that Hezbollah is a terrorist organization leaves unanswered or somehow assumed what the word "terrorist" means. When people use this term I usually ask them whether they mean attacks upon civilians? Generally they'll say, yes, that is terrorism. At which point I'll usually say, oh, you mean like the United States government which targeted hundreds of thousands of German and Japanese civilians?

It is true that the military codes of civilized people had gradually worked, up till the Second World War, to end warfare upon non-combatants. In that terrible conflict, however, both sides bombed civilian areas. Ever since then, Third World insurgents, such as the Mau Mau, the FLN, ZANU and dozens of others have generally attacked civilians. As European men we recoil in horror at this trend. But by the old moral standards surely Hezbollah are no worse than those who nuked Hiroshima/Nagasaki or bombed Baghdad and have ever justified what they did.

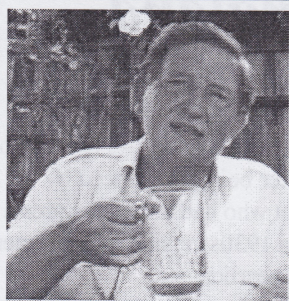
In addition, Barnes asserts that Hezbollah started the current hostilities. This depends upon where you go back to. Israel still holds many prisoners from previous incursions into Lebanon. Israel was in the middle of an attack on Gaza. Wasn't Hezbollah allowed to demand a prisoner exchange or open a second front without being regarded as a pariah? Plus, although Israel's invasion of Gaza was caused by a Palestinian incursion this was a response to the continuation of Israel's "targeted killings," even after the disengagement. This led to rocket launchings and, well, it just goes on and on.

This brings us to Barnes' final point. Israel is doing our job. Since Hezbollah and presumably many Muslims want "to start a war with the rest of the world" we should thank Israel for fighting them now.

Barnes does not openly endorse British or American military aid to Israel. At first glance all he wants is that we cheer for the Israelis in their wars. According to him, a BNP government would sound something like George Bush, a never ending cheering section for any and all right-wing Israel policies.

The key questions now emerging are - Is Israel fighting "our war" in Lebanon and Gaza? What should be the nationalist position on Islam, in general, and the large Islamic immigrant community in Britain, in particular?

The first question hinges on a larger question which goes to the root of



**BNP veteran John Bean
has opposed the party's
new extreme pro-Israel line**

the current quandary. Simply stated - If we'd leave them alone, would the Islamic world still want to strike at us in order to, somehow, "conquer" the West? Were we not there, were we not siding with Israel, were we not exporting our often decadent culture into their lands, denouncing their cultures because they fail to adopt feminism, homosexuality, abortion, pornography or mass democracy, would they wish to harm us? As Joe Sobran has noted, if Bin Laden so envies and hates democracy, why didn't he bomb Switzerland which has the most direct democracy in Europe?

The Barnes position and that of Bush and Blair is that Islam is an implacable, irrational enemy which hates anyone who believes in working mothers and homosexuality. In fact, this is an analysis that is as yet unverified. In point of fact, we have brought the battle to them and they have responded.

Incidentally the same skepticism is voiced by the Israeli left. They would argue that Israel has never made a sincere attempt to answer Palestinian grievances and forcefully wage peace. They ask, what would be the response of the overwhelming majority of Palestinians to a clear Israeli offer of complete Palestinian sovereignty over all of Gaza and the West Bank with east Jerusalem as its capital, with serious attention to full reparations for the refugees of 1948, combined with an apology for original expulsion and/or refusal to allow them to return. What would Hamas say to that? Isn't it at least possible that they'd opt for a long term *hudna* that would eventually become permanent? What would Iran or Hezbollah say to an Israeli government that would be willing to offer them respect and real dialogue? The truth is that here, too, we really don't know. But don't we (and the Israelis for that matter) owe it to future generations to at least try?

Now, this has nothing to do with the large Islamic presence in England, France, Italy and elsewhere. Here the BNP must confront the reality of what has already happened. The numbers of Muslims and non-Whites in Europe are very large. Talk of repatriation, voluntary or compulsory, seems wildly illusory today. It is no longer 1975. What is a realistic nationalist response to differential birthrates today, even if, somehow, immigration could be halted? At present, should we support the forcible integration of blacks and Muslims into our schools and demand of them that they adopt our cultural norms? Might it not be better, in the meantime, to allow or encourage them towards as much autonomy as they desire, in order to protect that which is left of our culture? Or more daunting do we, after decades of liberalism, have much of a public culture left altogether?

These are real issues for nationalists. They are staggering in their enormity. It would seem that the less America or Britain go gallivanting around the world to force global capitalism upon Islam we will, accordingly, reap two immediate benefits. First, we will have time to attend to our own affairs and, second, in all probability, we will no longer be despised for they will no longer be despised by world wide Islam.

If all Barnes wants to do is sit home and cheer for the Israelis, well, let him. If he feels that all of a sudden in the Nineties the Islamic world for no discernible reason decided to dislike the West, that too is his prerogative.

However, the policy articulated by John Bean, also to be found on the BNP web site, of careful neutrality for Britain (and obviously this would be best for America as well) in all international conflicts that do not affect her or her people seems to be the best for Albion. It might be worth debating whether Britain should try to do some "nation building" in Zimbabwe, in order to protect the poor members of our own race who still suffer under the insane dictatorship of Robert Mugabe. But what interest is it of St George whether Sunnis or Shiites or Kurds rule Iraq? Or for that matter how the Israelis and Palestinians divide their mutual homeland.

To paraphrase Muhammad Ali, "We British ain't got no quarrel with them Hezbollahahs!"

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Book Review: *Speaking for England*, by David Faber

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On September 2nd 1939, as Labour's deputy leader Arthur Greenwood rose to give his party's response to the German invasion of Poland, Leo Amery shouted from the Tory backbenches: "speak for England", clearly implying that his own party leader no longer spoke for the nation. Winston Churchill later recalled that the prime minister's "head whipped round as if he had been stung", while most of Amery's fellow Tories "were almost speechless with fury". On May 7th 1940 Amery used even more devastating words to condemn Neville Chamberlain and virtually guarantee his resignation in a debate on the disastrous Norway campaign. Quoting Oliver Cromwell's words to the Long Parliament, he told his former ally "You have sat too long here for any good you have been doing. Depart, I say, and let us have done with you. In the name of God, go."

Many contemporaries must have suspected that Amery's attitude to Germany was influenced by his own partly Jewish ancestry. His mother Elisabeth was a Hungarian Jewess whose family had converted to Protestantism in the 19th century. During the bitter Tory divisions of the 1920s future *Times* editor Henry Wickham Steed privately denounced him on racial grounds, saying inaccurately that he hadn't "a drop of English blood in his veins and was most untrustworthy."

In 1917 Amery and his old South African friend Lord Milner were the main authors of what became known as the Balfour Declaration, committing Britain to supporting a Jewish homeland in Palestine. Several of his later business interests had a Jewish connection, notably his directorship of the retail empire Marks and Spencer, although as in many similar cases during the 19th and early 20th century Amery and his family ignored and virtually suppressed all discussion of their Jewish background.

This makes it all the more astonishing that Leo's son Jack became an outspoken anti-semite. Faber writes that "with the material currently available, it is impossible to ascertain whether or not Jack knew of his own Jewish roots, although it seems incredible to suppose that he had no idea whatsoever."

If Jack Amery was confused about his own background it might help explain his dissolute early lifestyle, which Faber describes at some

length. In the mid-1930s he began to sort out his life and discover some sense of purpose, especially after being influenced by the ex-communist Frenchman Jacques Doriot who had turned towards a national socialism that could be seen as a 1930s version of Leo Amery's own "socialistic imperialism" decades earlier.

Presumably because of the paucity of available evidence, Faber spends only a couple of pages discussing Jack Amery's activities during the Spanish Civil War, but it seems obvious that he was involved in some form of gun running to support Franco's Nationalists. Most British right-wingers, including some leading Conservatives and senior officers in the British Army and Royal Navy, held similar pro-Franco views, so this is not evidence of serious radicalisation.

Such radicalisation did not occur until wartime. It is likely that Jack Amery (by then living in Vichy France) was simply too naive to realise the deadly direction of British policy until it was too late, but to his credit he remained absolutely consistent in his anti-communism. Many Tory squires back home, who in the 1930s would have been resolute anti-Bolsheviks, became great fans of Uncle Joe Stalin by 1941. Jack Amery however made no secret of his dismay when Churchill made his alliance with Moscow in June 1941, writing that "the people responsible in London were acting in a manner that no longer coincided with British imperial interests". Faber's readers are left to conclude that by this stage Leo Amery's playboy son had a more realistic perception of the Empire's interests than his great statesman father!

In March 1942 Jack Amery crossed the Rubicon with a public denunciation of

Britain's war policy, writing a letter to his local newspaper in Grenoble condemning the RAF's bombing raid on the Renault factory near Paris: "I wish to assert most forcefully - and I believe that many of my fellow countrymen agree with me, that operations such as the bombing of the working-class district at Boulogne-Billancourt fills us with sadness and shame."

Faber speculates that Doriot introduced Amery to German diplomats, and he travelled to Berlin in the autumn of 1942 to discuss how he could best help German propaganda and peace overtures to like-minded Englishmen. Amery was handled in Berlin by Dr Fritz Hesse, head of the relevant Foreign Office department, but when asked about payment he replied that "far from wanting anything, I was not disposed to accept anything other than that he consider me as a guest having no resources of my own available."

He made his first radio broadcast on November 19th 1942, emphasising Hitler's longstanding offer to preserve the British Empire and stressing that the Third Reich's war was "not on the British people, but on the small clique that rule them".



Jack Amery addresses a national socialist meeting in Flanders in 1943, calling for a pan-European alliance against Bolshevism

Amery always considered himself different from other 'renegade' Britons based in Germany, including fellow broadcasters William Joyce and Norman Baillie-Stewart. Most of these had been in Germany since at least the start of the war and considered themselves Germans. Amery saw himself as a consistent British anti-communist. Together with a number of other radical nationalists around Europe, whose views have been widely publicised in recent years by various "New Right" scholars and factions, Amery came to be disappointed by Hitler's failure to build a genuine coalition of like-minded Europeans.

Like Doriot, Amery argued that the German war effort was too exclusively based on German supremacy ("controlling Europe"). Amery and Doriot were "partisans of a social revolution and of a getting together of all European nations", and criticised German leaders for "getting together with the reactionaries and what was worse the kind of people who were uniquely interested in getting rich quick at anybody's expense."

The most concrete expression of Amery's alternative vision was the Legion of St George, later known as the British Free Corps, an anti-communist force recruited from British prisoners of war. As many readers will know, this was a very small and militarily insignificant organisation, but Amery saw its main function as political and diplomatic. He told Dr Hesse that it was important to "create a British anti-Bolshevik Legion however small. If England saw that Europe was uniting against Bolshevism, she would come in as well."

Amery's continuing patriotism and emphasis on anti-communism did not help him at the war's end. Found guilty of treason, he was sentenced to death and executed by hanging on December 19th 1945. His father and brother tried to procure evidence that Jack had renounced his British citizenship and joined the Spanish Foreign Legion during the Civil War, but the Franco government was already trying to get on the right side of the victorious Allies and playing down all its former fascist and national socialist associations. Confirming that his political radicalisation had allowed him to rise above his pre-war immaturity, Jack faced death with courage, refusing to plead for his life, deny the treason charges or renounce any of his convictions. Executioner Albert Pierrepoint described him as "the bravest man I ever met".

A few months before Jack Amery's execution, Leo Amery's political career ended with defeat in his Birmingham constituency at the 1945 general election. Brother Julian's career was just beginning. After heroic wartime escapades in the Balkans, entertainingly described by Faber, Julian failed at the 1945 election but later had two spells as a Tory MP for Preston (1950-66) and Brighton (1969-92). Married to the daughter of Prime Minister

Harold Macmillan, Amery served from 1960 to 1964 as a minister for aviation in Macmillan's government but his imperial Toryism soon seemed a relic of the distant past. As a young backbencher in the 1950s he was one of the "Suez group" of imperialists who fought against attempts to reduce Britain's overseas commitments. His father noted at the time that "only Julian and Enoch Powell felt sufficiently strongly about the issue to go to the point of risking the government's existence."

In the 1930s few among Oxford's political class would have bet on Julian Amery's postwar career in Tory politics being so overshadowed by his undergraduate contemporary Edward Heath, though one obvious thing they had in common was belief in British engagement with the European project as a counterweight to American influence.

At the start of the 20th century to be a 'right-wing' Tory meant defending the Empire, creating an imperial trading bloc that spanned the globe, while crushing Irish rebellion nearer home. Both causes were defeated.

By the 1930s 'right-wing' Tories were divided. Some advocated British rearmament and a potential alliance with Italy against a supposed German threat. Others argued that imperial interests were best served by agreeing to give Germany a free hand to combat Bolshevism in Europe, in return for unchallenged British domination of India and Africa. From any conceivable Tory viewpoint, the outcome in 1945 was a disaster - Stalin in control of Eastern Europe, the Empire dead or dying, the U.S. dominant.

The last of the Amerys was left defending the last remnants of Empire. His determined support for Ian Smith's White Rhodesians throughout the 1960s and 1970s probably ended any chance of his achieving the highest office, though it was rumoured that Margaret Thatcher

considered appointing him Foreign Secretary at the time of the Falklands War.

As a leading member (eventually Patron) of the Monday Club, then the most prominent right-wing organisation within the Conservative Party, Amery was friendly with senior military and intelligence veterans such as General Sir Walter Walker and Anthony Cavendish, who considered military intervention against the communist-influenced trade unions and Labour Party during the mid-1970s.

By the end of his life as Baron Amery of Lustleigh, one can only guess at Julian's views of Britain's collapse. Did he ever consider that brother Jack had finally been proved right? In 1995 Julian Amery arranged with Home Secretary Michael Howard for Jack's remains to be given proper respect. In January 1996 Jack was exhumed from his unmarked grave at Wandsworth Prison and cremated. His ashes were scattered in the Dordogne region of France. Eight months later Julian Amery died - his family's imperial vision had been dead for decades.

Reviewed by Peter Rushmore, Manchester, England



(Above) A poster advertises Jack Amery's Legion of St George, later the British Free Corps; (below) Julian Amery defending White Rhodesia at the Conservative Party Conference in 1979 - newly elected Prime Minister Thatcher looks on





Book Review: *From White Australia to Woomera* - *Australia's Migration Policies* by James Jupp

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This study by a leading Australian multiracialist academic, Director of the Centre of Immigration and Multicultural Studies at the Australian National University, casts interesting and valuable light not only on its immediate subject, explicit in its title, but also on those who promote, and those who oppose, the "multicultural society" that immigration has created not only in Australia but across much of the formerly White world.

Like North America but unlike Britain and other European countries, Australia really is a nation of immigrants. The question upon which this book centres is: what sort of immigrants?

When Europeans first reached Australia they discovered a land emptier than any other on which humans could reasonably dwell. Inhabited only by the descendents of the most primitive and archaic early men, their huge brow ridges and small brains proclaiming how long ago their stem had diverged from our own. Like other pre-modern hominids, Neanderthals and *Homo erectus*, the Aborigines were essentially culturally static. They reached Australia between 40 and 60 thousand years ago, rapidly hunted most of the larger and more stupid native animal species to extinction, no doubt helped by the fact that having never seen any kind of human before they did not know to run away from them, then essentially did nothing for between four hundred and five hundred and fifty centuries until Captain Cook sailed into Botany Bay in 1788. If William the Conqueror, Julius Caesar, Hammurabi, our ancestors who built Stonehenge or indeed our ancestors who hunted mammoths beneath the ice had reached the site of modern Sydney in their day they would have seen exactly the same primitive hunters, living in exactly the same way, using exactly the same tools, telling exactly the same rambling and disjointed folk tales. No doubt had Europeans or other outsiders never come the Aborigines would still be spearing kangaroos with fire hardened wooden spears and picking beetle grubs out of logs today, tomorrow or in a hundred thousand years' time. Even Africans achieved a higher level of culture on their own.

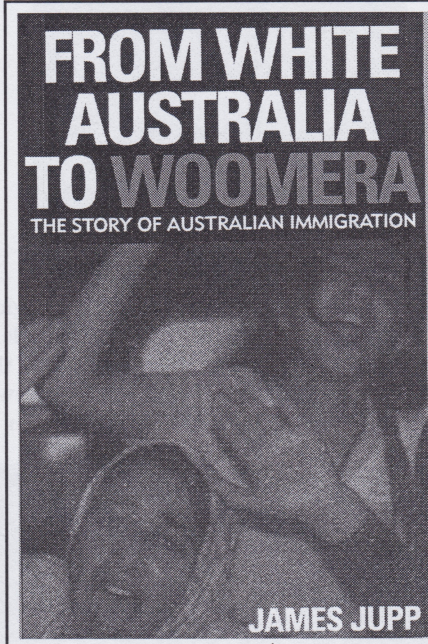
Today Aborigines either dwell in their timeless way in the deep outback, as much a part of the native fauna by now as wombats and koalas, or sit about the less salubrious parts of Australian cities in hopeless bemused alcoholic dependence on a civilization as far beyond them as it is beyond chimpanzees. Whilst guilt-crazed White liberals and "Aboriginal spokesmen and community leaders" who look, at most, about as Australian Aboriginal as Saddam Hussein and have only slightly more Aboriginal blood in their veins dance a Politically Correct gavotte of "reconciliation" at the expense of the Aussie taxpayer, who is also expected to fund the invention of a fictional indigenous culture and mythology, a creation of White people's fantasy worthy almost of JRR Tolkien! Since the existence

of Australian Aborigines, to anyone who has actually seen any full-blooded specimens in the flesh, makes a total mockery of the dogma of racial equality it can hardly be wondered that Dr Jupp avoids the subject almost completely.

What he does do is give an interesting, well-researched and, allowing for its author's pretty obvious liberal perspective, useful account of how Australia was peopled after Europeans found it, initially as a dumping ground for British criminals and dissidents, but within a few decades as part of a deliberate and well-organised plan to create a New Britain in the Southern Hemisphere. For over a hundred years until the early 1970's, as Jupp describes, immigration to Australia, unlike that in the USA, was organised and controlled centrally from above rather than simply allowed to happen, by the British and after 1901 Australian Government with a clear end in view - that of creating what even today is, as Jupp rightly says, with the similarly planned New Zealand, one of "the two 'most British' societies in the world outside the United Kingdom". A fact that is readily obvious even now to the British visitor, who finds a society and people no more different from his own than Scotland or Wales are from England, in most respects. From 1788 to 1996, Britons were the largest single group of immigrants each year, being replaced only by New Zealanders (uniquely not subject to Australian immigration controls) since. Until the 1960's,

Britain normally supplied over half each year's intake.

As Jupp explains, until 1972 it was deliberate, official policy that all this should be so. Britons were actively recruited to settle in Australia, and often received assisted passages to settle. Some other Europeans were allowed in, but under what became known as the White Australia Policy, almost all non-Whites were excluded. Almost the first act of the newly-founded Federation of Australia in 1901 was to pass an Immigration Restriction Act. This did not explicitly mention race, but it gave immigration officers the power - which they were officially expected to and did use - effectively to keep non-Whites out. The rather amusing pretext was a "dictation test". The would-be immigrant had to write down, with a minimum of spelling mistakes, a 500-word passage in a European language dictated by an Immigration Officer. If he failed, he was deported and the shipping company fined. The critical point was that there was no obligation on the officer administering the test to choose a language the applicant could actually speak! So what happened was that an officer confronted with an overly swarthy or Oriental-looking applicant would ask him what languages he spoke and then choose something else to test him on, Polish and Lithuanian being a favourite for Asian or African candidates, with Welsh or Scots Gaelic being a reliable fallback. This practice, at a time before 1948 when the entire population of the British Empire, hundreds of millions strong, had the legal right to settle in Britain, ensured that by 1947 Australia, with a 0.25% non-White minority population (mostly descended from pre-1901 Chinese or Indian coolies), was one of the Whitest societies in the world. This philosophy continued



after the 1958 Migration Act, which obliged would-be Immigrants to be approved in their own home countries before coming anywhere near Australia, and was administered by Australian officials abroad who became rather proficient rule-of-thumb physical anthropologists. The dictation test was replaced by the discretion of Immigration Officers who could deny an immigrant visa to anyone "undesirable". It was officially stated by successive Australian Governments well into the 1960's that non-Whites were to be classed as undesirable and denied entry because they were socially inassimilable and the presence of visibly different minorities would undermine social cohesion.

Jupp also examines the roots of White Australia in geopolitics and economics. Australia is a remote and thinly-peopled land, whose nearest neighbours, what is now Indonesia and China, are, and for all of Australian history have been, swarming with teeming masses of land-hungry peasants. To this day Australian defence policies are designed to defend the country principally from an attack from the Asian powers to the North. From early in the colony's history, those responsible for governing it felt that they must ensure that this Asiatic mass was kept out, lest their vastly greater numbers and nearness flood over Australia – a danger that certainly has not gone away! Added to this was the resentment by Anglo-Celtic labouring men of the cheap Chinese coolie labour periodically imported during the 19th Century by greedy Capitalists. For this reason the Australian Labor Party, when it was founded in 1891, was explicit in its policy of "excluding inferior Coloured races". In words actually equally true of their British counterparts at the time, Jupp wails that "Labor pioneers, including the most radical, were usually rabid racists by modern standards". Because in those days, there as here, they were working folk themselves, not millionaire lawyers, who put the welfare of their own people ahead of bourgeois Political Correctness.

However, the policy of creating a British Australia eventually began to give way to another imperative, originally again fuelled by the quite legitimate fear of the Yellow Peril to the North, the policy encapsulated by Billy Hughes in 1937 as "populate or perish". The fear that there were not enough Australians to hold what they had. In so far as this was justified, a point to which we shall return in Part II of this review, it could have been remedied by a deliberate policy in the 1930's of exporting millions of unemployed Britons to a new life in Australia, a policy widely advocated at the time by, amongst others, Sir Oswald Mosley, the Prince of Wales (later briefly King Edward VIII) and the thriller writer Dennis Wheatley (whose fictional Prince of Wales did just this after defeating a Communist Revolution in 1960's Britain in Wheatley's 1930's novel *Black August*, still well worth reading!) However, no action was taken, so after the Second World War the Australian Government, faced with a shortage of British settlers, chose to admit over 200,000, still basically White, Europeans. Ranging from anti-Communist Eastern European émigrés (some



Race riots erupted at Cronulla Beach in 2005

of whom had taken their willingness to fight Communism to the acme of Political Incorrectness a few years before arriving in late-1940's Australia!) to Yugoslavs, Italians, Greeks, Maltese and, as the slippery slope was steadily descended, eventually Turks.

As Jupp relates, it was the "radical left" (actually trendy Politically Correct) Gough Whitlam Labor Government which on assuming office in 1972 actually finally broke with the White Australia Policy. In doing this Whitlam broke with 80 years of ALP tradition, upheld loyally to the last by his own predecessor as Labor leader Arthur Calwell. He also reversed a tradition going back to 1788. What is interesting

is the light Jupp sheds on how this *volte-face*, which as he admits also defied overwhelming Australian public opinion at the time, was executed. This mockery of democracy was executed by liberal elites all over the Western World in the 1955-75 era, and repays closer examination. Australia provides an interesting case study, which Jupp illuminates.

Whitlam prepared the ground inside his own party by purging his Shadow Immigration Minister, Fred Daly, in 1971 for sticking to traditional Labor White Australia principles, once in office appointing the obnoxious multiracialist Al Grassby to the post. When Aussie voters showed what they thought of this by voting Grassby out of Parliament in 1974 in an election Labor otherwise won, Whitlam responded by appointing him to a lucrative seven-year post as Commissioner for Community Relations, from which unruly peasants could not topple him.

Meanwhile the Australian media universally applauded Whitlam's ditching of the "outmoded" and "racist" WAP. Whilst any chance of the electorate reversing this decision was headed off at the pass by the simultaneous decision of the Opposition Liberal-National Coalition to abandon its traditional pro-British policy of only accepting Immigrants who could be fully assimilated into a homogenous British Australia (the only basis on which they had accepted Eastern European immigrants). In fact, both main parties had dropped White Australia quietly from their official policy platforms as far back as 1966. The implications of this in terms of lack of voter choice were now made clear. Jupp applauds the "bipartisan approach", which is of course a complete negation of democracy – if the voters are offered no choice, they cannot choose!

Whitlam purged the Australian Immigration Department, which had for decades administered the White Australia Policy, by simply abolishing it in 1974. "Riddled with racism" its staff could be dispersed to other Civil Service departments where they could not interfere with the implementation of his and his Opposition Leader rival Malcolm Fraser's multicultural utopia.

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Unsettling Accounts

A noteworthy feature of the radical right in Great Britain (indeed the English speaking world) has been the underrepresentation of the professional classes in its ranks.

Why it is that doctors, lawyers and academics are willing to join the ranks of French, Italian and Spanish patriots, but not (generally speaking) our own, is a debate for another day.

The consequences of this unhappy situation are almost uniformly damaging, both in ways that are blindingly obvious (for example, the difficulty in finding competent and sympathetic professionals to assist with legal, accounting and regulatory matters) and in ways that are less immediately apparent.

One of those consequences is that it is all too easy for a glib and unscrupulous leader to deceive his idealistic but badly informed followers, who are singularly ill equipped to get at the truth, or even to see it when (to those with a better knowledge of business than is to be found in the ranks of what remains an overwhelmingly working-class movement) it is already in the public domain.

This problem, which would exist anyway, given the movement's socio-economic base, is greatly aggravated by a culture of secrecy that is an unhappy legacy from the days of the late John Tyndall. He was understandably concerned to play down the weakness of the BNP in the 1980s (it had, one very senior former official has told me, only 350 paid up members at the time when Derek Beackon won his Millwall seat: even allowing for the fact that at that time a good many of the party's activists were not paid up members, it is doubtful whether the numbers involved in 1993 were much over 700 to 800), and did not therefore publish accounts, keeping the true figures to himself and the Inland Revenue.

One of the results of this "need to know" approach was the creation of a climate of opinion in which the withholding of basic information about the BNP from the members was widely accepted, though it is not a reasonable practice. A party belongs to its members, not its chairman.

As it happened, the end of JT's long tenure as chairman of the BNP coincided with the coming into force of the less than snappily named Political Parties, Elections and Referendums Act 2000 ("PPERA"). PERPA made it compulsory for political parties to file their accounts with a new regulator, the Electoral Commis-

sion. It also imposed a requirement for audit by external accountants on parties whose turnover exceeded a statutory threshold.

Worthy of more than passing comment is the curiosity (see p. 15 of the BNP Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December 2005) that statutory audit under PERPA works very differently from any other audit, for the auditor is not answerable to the members of the party in general meeting (as might be expected) but to the treasurer. This is a strange inversion of the usual purpose of audit, which is an external check for the members' benefit on the probity and competence of an organisation's officers.

In any normal political party, it might therefore be expected that the members would appoint an auditor of their own, especially when turnover stands at £672,246, which is no trivial sum. In Nick Griffin's BNP that does not happen, and any suggestion that it should would be as well received as the proverbial bacon butty at a bar-mitzvah.

Even so, the BNP's statutory accounts, available on line on the Electoral Commission's web site, reveal much of interest to the discerning eye.

The accounts begin with a long introduction by Nick Griffin, who candidly admits (p. 2) that an unfortunate result of the party's impressive effort in the 2005 general election:

"... was that the party centre seriously overstretched itself financially, with our potential for growth in the second part of the year seriously hampered by the resulting fiscal austerity".

Just how seriously the party is overstretched (and why) will be seen by those who read on. With extraordinary *chutzpah* (learnt perhaps from his unlikely new neo-con friends) Griffin claims (p. 3) that the BNP has gone "to extraordinary lengths to comply with every single requirement to ensure financial transparency. . ." This statement is demonstrably untrue, and contradicted by later pages in the same report.

Interestingly for anyone inclined to believe sweet talk about reform from the Griffin clique, Griffin continues at p. 6 with a bold reassertion of the Leadership Principle (or *Führerprinzip*, in the original German). The party leader, he says:

"has sole control of and responsibility for, the administration, finances, strategy, policy development and tactical decisions. As the party grows, more and more of this responsibility is delegated, but the underlying Leadership Principle is unaffected by such day-to-day arrangements."



Three BNP officials bear heavy responsibility for the state of party finances: (left to right) chairman Nick Griffin, head of (self) publicity Mark Collett, and treasurer John Walker

Other officers have to drink the poisoned chalice of responsibility without power, for (in Griffin's own words):

"The party also has a fund-raising body, the Trafalgar Club, which is administered by [the Administration] Dept. Under the party constitution the National Treasurer is not permitted to handle this body's finances, although it is of course subject to overview by him and subject to the (*sic*) full external audit."

The National Treasurer is thus in the unhappy position of having statutory responsibility for the Trafalgar Club's accounts under s. 43 of PPERA, including their consolidation with the party's other accounts, but no control over them. Rather him than me!

While, moreover "the party is structured into political regions" they are (p. 7) all "under the remit of the Regional Accounting Unit for their financial administration." The significance of that point is that monies raised locally for local campaigning can be taken by the centre at will in order to fund a deficit for which the national leadership is responsible.

A bizarre feature of the BNP accounts is the very different figures for membership that appear at pp. 10 and 13. At p. 10, we are told that paid up membership was down on 2004 from 7,916 to 6,008, whereas at p. 13 the figures are 6,502 for 2005 and 6,356 for 2004. Plainly both sets of figures cannot be correct.

That is not the only interesting information to be derived from p. 10, no, not by a long way. Under the sub-heading "staff" we learn that in the year ended 31st December 2005:

"... the party had nine full-time members of staff, plus a number of part-time central administration workers. It also utilises the services of a number of self-employed experts who are paid for specific work carried out from time to time as required."

As with the membership figures, Nick can't add up (given this failing, it is perhaps unsurprising that, as he boasted to the *Mail on Sunday* on 9th April 2006, he was the biggest bankrupt in the history of the Leeds & Holbeck Building Society!), for at p. 12, he lists only seven permanent members of staff, though by note 5 at p. 24 we are back to nine.

The wages bill for this establishment is demonstrably the principal cause of the party's financial woes, but this is not the only extravagance noted in the accounts, for at p. 11 we learn that the cost of Mark Collett's toy printing set was £70,000 (more than a tenth of the party's total income). One of my well placed sources in Yorkshire BNP tells me that this equipment was thrashed to death at the 2005 general election, and is now of little value, certainly much less than the depreciated figure of £51,671 given at note 6 to the accounts (p. 25). It follows that the party's balance sheet is in fact even weaker than the recorded cumulative deficit of £52,512 (p. 22) suggests.

Page 13 is certainly unlucky for some, as the admissions in the closing paragraph are remarkable. This paragraph is a gem:

"As the party were (*sic*) only able to find an auditor in the latter part of 2004, the question of setting up a system of internal control could not be addressed until the beginning of 2005, and whilst making progress there is still significant progress to be made. At the same time the banks began to withdraw normal banking services from the party, and therefore a considerable amount of expenditure was paid for by cash, which because of the nature of cash transactions was not subject to such strict control as cheque expenditure, and was not always recorded."

Put into plain English, despite Griffin's boasts that the party is attracting more middle class supporters, it is unable (Griffin having driven Mike Newland out) to find within its own ranks a competent accountant who can set up a system of internal controls, and needs to engage its external auditor to put such controls in place.

Worse still, an "Arthur Daley" cash payments system was employed despite a permanent staff of nine, who could or at any rate should have written up sales and purchase ledgers, for cash as well as cheques. The directors of any trading company with a turn over of £672,246 who made such damaging admissions would be in serious trouble with the Department of Trade and Industry, and very rightly so. The Leeds & Holbeck's biggest bankrupt simply brazens it out.

Detailed analysis of the income and expenditure account is informative. Expenditure exceeds income by an alarming £94,711. No less alarming is where the money goes. Only £31,792 was spent on campaigning, whereas an admitted (but as I shall demonstrate, seriously understated) £247,592 went on staff costs, and £168,555 on management and administration.

In fact the wages bill was really £292,212, of which £44,260 is described (note 3 at p. 20) as a recharge of staff costs to commercial activities, so that on a superficial reading of the accounts, the full extent of the wages bill is not apparent.

The breakdown of staff costs at p. 20 makes for interesting if not very illuminating reading. The total of £171,306 for professional fees is extraordinary, especially as it does not include the audit fee of £5,306, which appears separately at note 7 on p. 21. The inference must be that "professional fees" amount to disguised wages paid to persons describing themselves as independent contractors to (rather than employees of) the party, so as to save on employers' national insurance contributions (NICs). Quite why £9,836 was spent on insurance is unclear, whilst the payment of £11,338 for taxes is difficult to understand. Perhaps it relates to payment of NICs, but we are not told. It is certainly a lot of money.

The management and administration charges at p. 20 will also make disturbing reading for the rank and file members of the BNP, who make large sacrifices to donate to the party. Motor expenses of £13,359, telephone bills of £30,741 and travel and entertainment costs of £63,216 reek of a leadership living high off the hog on the widow's mite. The drunken party thrown by Napoleon, the pigs' corrupt and tyrannical leader, at the end of *Animal Farm* comes to mind. I wonder why? Who incidentally received the rent of £12,998 recorded in note 5 at p. 20?

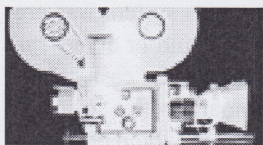
In any normal party, these questions would be raised with the treasurer and auditors, to be answered in the presence of the members in general meeting, before the accounts were received and approved. Since the BNP does not hold an AGM, there is no opportunity for any member so to do, even though the leadership is spending their money (and some more on top, hence the carried forward deficit).

After the party, the hangover. It is scarcely surprising that the auditors, Silvers (who will surely approve of the party's *rapprochement* with Zionism) express their concern at the position:

"Whilst the accounts have been prepared on the basis that the party is a going concern, given the fact that for the last two years the party has incurred a deficit, and that the Balance Sheet is now in deficit, there is an element of doubt as to its ability to continue as a going concern. There are however funds available within the 'Regional Accounting Unit' and the possibility of donations to rectify the situation."

Recorded donations for the first quarter of 2006 were £1,028, and for the second, £5,500. Donations in these sums are not going to solve the BNP's problems. Without raiding branch and regional funds within the 'Regional Accounting Unit' to pay for the wages and entertainment bills, or large scale redundancies, the BNP is bust.

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Movie Review: *The Wicker Man*

Released by Universal Pictures, December 2005, Running time 182 minutes. Rated R/15. Now available on DVD

I have seen many ill-advised horror remakes in my time, however, *The Wicker Man* may be the worst yet. It's like a *Psycho* remake without the shower scene; a *Texas Chainsaw Massacre* remake without the chainsaw; an *Amityville Horror* remake without the house. Do you get the idea?

It took me two attempts to even watch the movie at Blackburn's new cinema - VUE. The first attempt failed because the VUE was closed when I arrived for the afternoon showing. The management in their wisdom had changed the times without informing the poor Blackburn public - i.e. me and a small band of would-be pagans, who had to return home disappointed!

However, not to be put off, I returned the following evening with a young lady friend, bought her and myself a rather expensive couple of cokes, a large bag of popcorn and took our seats in the posh new cinema.

Writer/director Neil LaBute, to whose bitter social experiments I've turned a blind eye in the past, has taken the 1973 British/Scottish classic - about a devoutly Christian Policeman (not Gareth Hurley I'm happy to say!) investigating a disappearance on a devoutly pagan island - and removed most of the religion and all of the point. The story now seems to be about how power corrupts and how a matriarchal society wouldn't be much kinder and gentler than a patriarchy. That's debatable, as the Nick Griffin fan club will tell you - but this tale was never structured to make that argument.

So Neil, old chap, how about I remake *In the Company of Men* and change the whole point of the movie? Wouldn't that be cool?

Nicolas Cage steps into Edward Woodward's shoes as highway patrolman Edward Malus, who's having trouble getting over an accident he witnessed (and had a small hand in causing). This backstory does nothing for the narrative except to give Cage an excuse to go googly-eyed whenever he sees a pigtailed blonde girl, which, as the movie lumbers along, is often. Anyway, Malus receives a note from ex-girlfriend Willow (Kate Beahan), whose daughter has disappeared from Summersisle, a remote private island off the West Coast that Willow grew up on and eventually returned to. Malus swings into action, arriving on the island only to be greeted by a sea of uncoperative female faces. Summersisle, you see, is a matriarchy, though there are pitiful-looking men straggling about too, relegated to scutwork and breeding.

The original *Wicker Man* contrasted Edward Woodward's uptight Catholicism with the natives' freewheeling, sexually open paganism. For a matriarchal remake to make any sense, Cage's character would have to swagger onto Summersisle with smug WASP-male privilege, the way Woodward's copper brandished his close personal friendship with Jesus. But Edward Malus isn't written or

played that way; he's just a guy, a decent man, and when he becomes annoyed with the women of Summersisle it's not out of male disdain but simply because he wants to find a missing girl and they're giving him the runaround. His disdain and distrust now seem justified. Needless to say, all the accurate pagan details the original movie so scrupulously planted are absent here. It's now a vaguely pagan society whose real sin, the movie seems to say, is that the girls are in charge.

Ellen Burstyn shows up in full priestessy efflorescence as Sister Summersisle, the distaff equivalent of Christopher Lee's Lord

Summerisle in the original, but she isn't given the dialogue to compete with Lee's performance. The debate about Christianity versus the olde Gods is gone. So Burstyn is left stranded in a role almost as hollow as the titular object. Sister Summersisle does refer to her ancestors moving to the island to get away from oppressive patriarchy, but LaBute doesn't express the irony that the resulting matriarchy is just as oppressive, nor does the islanders' hostility seem particularly male-directed. I can't really call this *Wicker Man* misogynist; if it is, it's a very flaccid form of it. It's yet another gender power struggle in the director's portfolio, this time hung onto a story that doesn't wear it well. *The Wicker Man* should be about the conflict of belief systems, not the battle of the sexes.

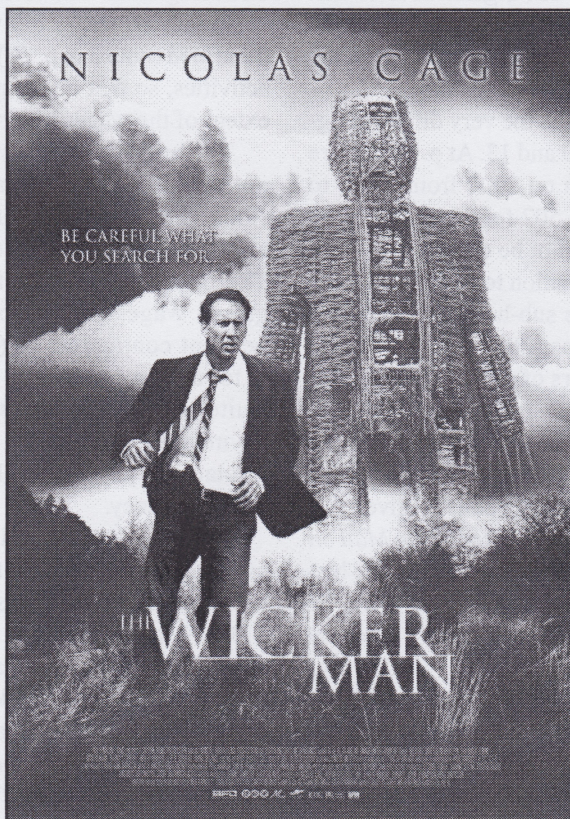
After a while, as you may have heard, you do indeed get to see Nicolas Cage running around in a bear suit, and the movie does recreate the original's much-discussed ending, though without a tenth of its force and eloquence. (In the original, Christopher Lee leads his followers in a rousing rendition of

"Sumer Is Icumen In" while Woodward shouts various Biblical quotations - which would make even Ian Paisley proud. In the remake, the islanders chant "The drone must die", in much the same way as Derek Holland used to chant "Long live death" - while Cage shrieks "Noooo! Noooo! You bitches!" - in much the same way as Martin Webster used to shriek at the NF directorate if he did not get his own way! Which is as good an indication as any of how far screenwriting has fallen.)

The Wicker Man was always constructed as an atmospheric piece in which a believer finds himself among other believers, doubts his own beliefs, and finally ascends to a higher purpose amid a thick subtext of eroticism and the use of faith as an imposition of the will. This movie believes in nothing - except, perhaps, that women would enslave and torch men if they had the power (female Griffins take note!), so let's not give them power.

So was it worth the twenty quid? - no. And marks out of ten? Perhaps three (and that's only because of the few good looking blonde chicks on the island!). But, hey, any movie can benefit from reinterpretation, right, Neil? How about I remake *The Shape of Things* for a cast of animated cats? Now doesn't that sound cool?

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George Lincoln Rockwell and the American Nazi Party - Part VII

For Lincoln Rockwell and his fellow fighters, the term "the National Socialist struggle" was not merely a metaphor. From the founding of the American Nazi Party in March, 1959, until the very moment of Rockwell's death in August of 1967, every day was a bitter struggle for existence. Everything that Rockwell needed to run an effective, modern political movement was in short supply: funds, legal assistance, trained and qualified personnel, printing supplies, office and photographic equipment, vehicles, mailing lists, political contacts - the list of what Rockwell did not have was endless.

From beginning to end, the entire operation was run on a shoestring budget, and frequently the string broke. The slightest legal or financial setback could undo months or even years of progress in a single instant. The stress on Rockwell and his followers was enormous. Yet they soldiered on, winning victory after victory in the face of staggering odds.

Aside from the routine day-to-day struggle for existence, there were frequent organized attempts to wreck the Party. The first serious attack to close down the ANP came in 1960, when various Jewish organizations tried to have Rockwell committed to an insane asylum, charging that not only was Rockwell mentally ill, but that he posed a danger to society. Rockwell and his troopers had been holding open-air rallies in Washington D.C., not far from the White House, the Washington Monument and other well-known sites. Rockwell gave fiery speeches praising Adolf Hitler, advocating White supremacy and calling for a National Socialist America. Understandably, his orations caused concern among some members of the Jewish community. Organized groups of Jews attended Rockwell's public rallies for the sole purpose of disrupting them, and sometimes violence would break out.

On July 3, 1960, Rockwell and a number of his lads were arrested after they used force to defend themselves against a mob which had attacked them. Rockwell could have paid a small fine and that would have been the end of it. However, as a matter of principle, he refused to plead guilty to the charge of "disorderly conduct," of which he was innocent. Upon entering his plea of

"not guilty," the prosecutor put a motion before the court claiming that Rockwell was not mentally competent, and asking that he be confined to the psychiatric ward of Washington General Hospital.

Rockwell could have changed his plea to guilty, paid the fine and put an end to the matter. However, that would have made it look as though he was avoiding the issue of whether or not he was crazy. Rockwell allowed himself to be locked up for 30 days in a federal mental hospital while various

psychiatrists ran tests on him to determine whether or not he was insane. In the end, the doctors ruled that Rockwell was indeed of sound mind. It had been a risk, as the doctors were certainly under pressure to declare him mentally incompetent. Yet Rockwell had won his point: all anti-Nazi propaganda to the contrary, simply being a National-Socialist does not mean that you are crazy.

Adventures such as this had garnered world-wide publicity for the ANP, and soon there were similar formations in White countries across the globe. One of these was in the UK, where veteran Movement activist Colin Jordan had broken from the British National Party to form the National Socialist Movement.

In the summer of 1962, the NSM hosted a convention of National-Socialists from various countries for the purpose of forming an international NS umbrella organization. The guest of honor was to be none other than Rockwell. The British Home

Office was not happy about the planned gathering, and announced that Rockwell would not be allowed into the country.

The Home Secretary, however, did not reckon with the determination and resourcefulness of Rockwell and Jordan. With the aid of his number-one lieutenant, John Tyndall, Jordan smuggled Rockwell into the UK from the Irish Republic. On August 7, 1962, at the NSM camp in the Cotswolds, Rockwell, Jordan, and National-Socialists from across the world formed the World Union of National Socialists. Among those in attendance were Savitri Devi, the renowned NS writer and thinker, and Bruno Luedtke, a prominent figure in the German NS underground. The pact forming the World Union was known as the Cotswold Protocols. Rockwell's conception of National-Socialism as an international pan-Aryan movement was no longer a daydream, but rather had become a concrete reality.

In the summer of 1963, a mass "civil rights" demonstration was held in Washington, D.C. It was on this occasion that the notorious Negro agitator Martin Luther King gave his infamous "I Have a Dream" speech, in which he laid out his vision of a multiracial America in which White people, who created America, would have their birthright stolen from them and given to various non-White minorities. The publicity leading up to this march was unprecedented in its magnitude. Ordinary White Americans, and not just those in the tiny, powerless White Nationalist movement, sensed that this was a turning point in the racial future of the United States.

Rockwell was determined that the event would not take place without some sort of protest on behalf of White America. He moved heaven and earth in an attempt to organize the fragmented White Nationalist movement into making a unified stand against King and his minions, and even appealed to Alabama Governor George Wallace to lead some sort of counter-demonstration. Rockwell's efforts were to no avail: he was told that protesting



Rockwell addresses a crowd of supporters in Chicago's Marquette Park in August 1966



(left to right) Rockwell, Colin Jordan and John Tyndall at the NSM's Cotswold camp in August 1962

the march would be "too dangerous" and that any White racist who showed his face on that day would face jail, hospitalization or even death. Disgusted with the cowardice and stupidity of the broader White movement, Rockwell rallied what ANP members and supporters he could. And so on August 28, 1963, Rockwell and 86 of his followers - men, women and children - were the only ones on the nation's Mall standing in defense of White America. Contrary to the dire predictions of other racial nationalists, there were no arrests and no injuries - just a missed opportunity to show massive resistance to the assault on the racial foundations of the U.S.

As the ANP gained increased credibility and stature among what was then called the "far-right," the federal government took steps (later determined to have been illegal) to hinder the Party's operations. Along with other so-called "extremist" organizations, the ANP was targeted by the FBI as part of the COINTELPRO (for "Counter Intelligence Program") operation. All manner of "dirty tricks" were utilized to cause dissension and demoralization within the ANP, and to keep it from building a base of support among the general White population.

One example of a COINTELPRO operation was the attempt to drive a wedge between Rockwell and Matt Koehl, who was Rockwell's *de facto* chief-of-staff. Koehl, a hard-line Hitlerist, was one of Rockwell's most aggressive stormtroop officers. Koehl had experience with NS street activities dating back to the 1950s, when, as a teenager, he was a member of the paramilitary formation of James Madole's National Renaissance Party. He had founded the Chicago Unit of the ANP, which opened the first Party headquarters outside of Arlington.

In early 1963, Rockwell transferred him from Chicago to Arlington to serve as the Party's National Secretary. It turned out to be a very fortuitous decision. Prior to Koehl's arrival in Arlington, Rockwell was wary of leaving the Washington area to speak and organize, for whenever he went on the road, problems would arise back in Arlington that would threaten to undermine the organization. Yet when Rockwell stayed in Arlington to baby-sit the headquarters, opportunities to raise funds and gather publicity elsewhere in the country had to be ignored. With Koehl on board in Arlington, however, all that changed. Koehl was a disciplined, no-nonsense chief-of-staff, who kept the headquarters running smoothly while Rockwell traveled the country building the Party.

By 1964, the FBI had identified Koehl as a key target for the COINTELPRO operation against the ANP. If they could drive a wedge between Rockwell and Koehl, Rockwell would once again be chained to his desk in Arlington while opportunities elsewhere withered on the vine. According to information since released under the Freedom of Information and Privacy Act (FOIPA), the FBI sent anonymous letters to Rockwell, supposedly from supporters, which accused Koehl of being a homosexual and an all-around bad guy. Similar false rumors about Koehl were planted elsewhere in the White movement, designed to pressure Rockwell into firing Koehl. Fortunately, Rockwell saw through the transparent FBI attempt to turn him against his most loyal and effective follower.

The year 1965 saw two significant events in ANP history. In November, Rockwell received 5,730 votes in the Virginia gubernatorial election. This was Rockwell's first and (only foray) into electoral politics. Rockwell realized that there were many White Virginians who agreed with his core message, but who might be put off from voting for a candidate from the American Nazi Party. Consequently, for the purposes of the election, Rockwell formed the White Constitutional Party. His campaign was energetic, but was predictably short of funds and other resources. Nevertheless, the thought that he might actually do well at the polls scared Virginia's Republican/Democratic political establishment.

At the last moment a fourth candidate entered the race (along with the Republican and Democratic candidates, and Rockwell). He was William Storey, a member of the John Birch Society and he campaigned as a militant segregationist. In reality, Storey's sole role was to provide an alternative for voters who agreed with Rockwell but who were uneasy about his Nazi image. Storey, whose campaign was well-financed, ended up with nearly 70,000 votes, most of which would probably have gone to Rockwell had Storey not run.

Martin Kerr, Falls Church, Virginia

Editors Note: Martin Kerr's Part VIII to be published in Issue 27.

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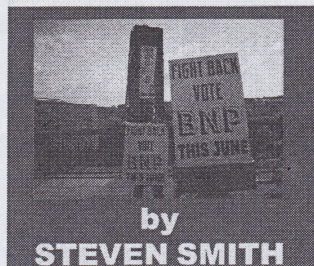
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Letters From Readers



Sir - If you think you have it bad in Europe, forget it, you've seen nothing yet. What have we come to when a little boy could get killed with an axe to the face as he played outdoors with friends? Nine-year-old Jordin Paulder from Fulton County Georgia, was killed, apparently the victim of "Honduran native" Santos Benigno Cabrera Borjas. You haven't heard of Jordin Paulder? I'm not surprised - he was White and his death doesn't make desirable copy.

Three children were playing in the parking lot of the Chastain Apartments in Sandy Springs early one evening when a red car with a wobbly wheel drove through. Jordin Paulder, a little boy with chubby cheeks, called out to the car's passengers to tell them of the bad tire. Jordin didn't mean to insult anybody, he just thought they should know, witnesses told police. But the car stopped and a Hispanic man got out and slammed an axe into Jordin's face.

Emergency workers were afraid to remove the axe during the helicopter flight to Children's Healthcare of Atlanta at Scottish Rite hospital, where Jordin died. When the police approached the crime scene, Cabrera Borjas fled to a nearby apartment complex. After he broke an officer's arm by throwing a tire iron (or maybe a "rimmed tire" - accounts differ) and made threats with an iron pipe, the officer shot and killed him.

Since the accused killer is dead, there will be no trial to remind the public that illegal immigration is not avictimless crime - assuming Santos Cabrera Borjas was indeed an illegal entrant. The authorities may not pursue that detail, wishing to forget the whole sordid thing. However, the killer's family already has a lawyer making "police brutality" and "wrongful death" noises, so the ugliness may continue.

Racial violence against White people, including murder are now very common in and around Atlanta, however the media both TV and press very rarely report it. Thankfully there was one American newspaper which was not frightened to do so. It was also through that newspaper, published by long-standing nationalist Dr Edward Fields, that I heard about your fine magazine. I used to subscribe to *Spearhead* before it sadly stopped last year, so put me down for a year's subs to *H&D*.

Racial Regards from Dixie,

Ronald Leaman, Atlanta, Georgia



Sir - How much longer must the Lebanese and Palestinians endure Israeli inflicted carnage before the Middle East erupts? The Israelis claim that the present conflagration in Lebanon is in response to the abduction of a few of their soldiers; however, the reality is that the confrontation has its genesis in the forced expulsion of a million Palestinians from their homeland by the invading Israelis in 1948.

Owing to the confusion resulting from the secretly negotiated Sykes-Picot Treaty and the Balfour Declaration during World War I, militant Zionists took the opportunity to infiltrate thousands of European Jews into Palestine. After World War II international Zionists successfully played the "Holocaust" card to demand a Jewish National Home. In order to appease them, Western statesmen acquiesced. And so the terrorist State of Israel was born. To add insult to injury the U.S. then proceeded to arm and finance the Israelis, as it still does.

The lies, prevarications and disinformation propagated by British governments concerning the Israeli-Arab conflict over the years has been shameful. Those of us who were involved as servicemen during the Suez debacle in 1956 were well aware that Britain and France colluded with Israel in the attack on Egypt, but the British Government, in the person of Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd, vehemently denied this. The recent disclosure of official documents proves that collusion did occur. British politicians then, as now, were economical with the truth.

Since 1948 the Palestinians and Lebanese have been subjected to numerous attacks and massacres by the Israelis at refugee camps and villages such as Deir Yassin, Sabra, Chatila, Qana (twice) and elsewhere, and now in large areas of Southern Lebanon. Is it therefore any wonder that with western inspired and led wars raging in Iraq and Afghanistan as well as the destruction of Lebanon, the Arab and Islamic world is in a state of ferment and that this has escalated hatred of the West?

Yours faithfully,

Ronald G. W Rickcord, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire



Sir - Your paper *Heritage & Destiny* needs to get its facts right about Burnley BNP. They have been more successful than at any time under the guidance of the Branch Manager. Steven Smith let anybody be candidates - hence the Maureen Stowe and Luke Smith episodes. Burnley BNP got two more councillors and in the ward you mentioned Mr Shapcott held its vote because Barry Birks only got in on a second place. Also if Burnley BNP had less than another 100 votes they would have had another four Councillors elected. Your comments have been passed on to Cllr Turner and Derek Dawson for legal investigation against your black and white gutter paper.

God Save Nick Griffin,

J Watmore, Burnley BNP Webmaster

Peter Rushmore replies: Brian Turner and Derek Dawson have far more experience of the courts than we have, but I am confident that nothing we have printed about Burnley BNP is in any way actionable. Mr Shapcott received 461 votes in Whittlefield with Ightenhill this year, compared to 654 won by Barry Birks when he was elected there. If Mr Watmore interprets this as the BNP holding its vote, then I'm not surprised his branch is in such a confused and demoralised state.

Correction



In Issue 21 (page 5) we referred to Tony Wentworth's BNP candidature in Rossendale & Darwen at the 2005 General Election.

Mr Wentworth has asked us to point out that while his leaflet was indeed poorly produced and managed to misspell the name of the constituency, this was the responsibility of the party's head of publicity Mark Collett, who produced the leaflet in question, and does not reflect on the competence of Mr Wentworth or his local campaign team.

We are happy to set the record straight.



Sir - I really enjoyed the article by Paul Richards, (Nationalist's Elegy and Consolation). The thoughts of Mr. Richards we should never forget. Did they fail? I agree - they did not fail. Day after day I do the best I can to expand the understanding of my fellow Americans in the timeless philosophy of National Socialism. Am I doing any good? I must believe I am. However, I believe that National Socialists are born and *not made*. We do not need a million hard core National Socialists. We just need our fellow White men to understand and stay out of the way. The rest of us will take care of the details.

Yours for race and nation,

Jim Franklin, Harpers Ferry, West Virginia



Sir - The horrendous actual and potential casualties and massive disruption associated with Muslim terrorism are dominating the mass media and exercising airline passengers in particular. At the same time we have the usual officials and Muslim apologists desperately trying to dissociate the threat from the presence of vast numbers of Muslims in this and other Western countries. But we should take some comfort from the fact that these grim developments may serve to awaken the British public from the apathetic stupor induced by decades of renegade propaganda and official intimidation. All those thousands of airline travellers, seeking at least temporary relief from a deteriorating home environment, have been rudely reminded that the consequences of the Third World invasion are all-pervading and inescapable. They may well be reflecting on the bizarre 'security measures' which subject the entire population to serious alarms and severe inconvenience and discomfort, instead of concentrating on that particular minority known to be the source of terrorist threats. But for the benefit of those people altogether too short-sighted, self-absorbed or stupid to perceive the essential nature of the problem and most appropriate means of solving it, here are some simple pointers:

Muslim terrorism is not the result of Western foreign policy; it is legitimised by the Islamic religion and therefore has the tacit support of most Muslims. It follows that to permit large-scale Muslim immigration into Western societies amounts to importing terrorism; and that the absence of Muslims from our airlines and all other public utilities is the single most important anti-terrorist tactic to be employed.

The native British public therefore has the right to demand the exclusion of Muslims from all public assemblies and transport facilities exposed to the Muslim terrorist threat. The excluded Muslims can of course use separate areas and separate transport facilities.

Meanwhile the security arrangements at airports and elsewhere should be designed to avoid inconvenience or delay to obvious non-Muslims; most people having no difficulty at all in distinguishing aliens from the native citizenry.

These perfectly simple and blindingly obvious precautions would cost virtually nothing to introduce and maintain, cause no serious inconvenience or injustice to harmless aliens, and would contain the terrorist threat more effectively than any of the measures so far taken. That they would be deemed outrageously 'racist' by all the usual suspects goes without saying. However, this would be an exceedingly small price to pay for giving the British public real security against alien terrorism.

If the travelling public were to boycott airlines unwilling to provide Muslim-free planes, those companies would soon be demanding governmental support for such segregation.

The huge numbers of police and other security staff swarming at airports and other public assembly-points would thereby be released for service elsewhere.

Despatch of British troops to far-flung places like Iraq and Afghanistan does nothing whatsoever to safeguard the British public against alien terrorism, and may to some extent exacerbate the problem.

The only government publication warning the general public to be alert to the terrorist threat made no reference whatever to the plain fact that avoiding proximity to Muslims is the only sure-fire protection available.

Yours sincerely,

F. Kimbal Johnson, Nottingham, England



Sir - I recently read your interview in *Steadfast* magazine and must admit I agree with most of what you said. The English nationalist movement is far too wishy-washy and the likes of the English Democrats will never get anywhere because they are too frightened to talk about racial problems or even campaign against non-white immigration. Like you

I was once a member of the BNP, but I could not continue to support a party that lied to its members, claiming to be English nationalist, when in fact they were no such thing. In fact I think that the BNP and the UKIP will merge in the not too distant future, as the two parties are so close now. Anyway keep up the good work and I look forward to supporting you and the EFP in the future.

Yours for the real nationalist cause

John Lee Morton, Wolverhampton, Staffordshire

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Sir - I would like to reply to the letter you published from Michael Easter, in issue 25 of *Heritage & Destiny*. Mr Easter needs to realise that the BNP leadership are very frightened of contesting any parliamentary by-elections - not just the recent Bromley and Chislehurst seat. The facts are that Nick Griffin has avoided standing BNP candidates in any such by-elections since he himself stood in West

Bromwich West in 2000 - and lost his deposit! On that very same day the BNP stood Christian Jackson in the Preston by-election, who polled less than 2% and was beaten by two other fringe candidates. The facts of life are that all nationalists (look at the tiny votes obtained by the NF, the Freedom Party and the English Democrats) not just the BNP, have polled very badly in every parliamentary by-election they have contested since the mid-90's. With all the financial and internal problems that Griffin has at the moment, the last thing he needs is to see the BNP embarrassed at the ballot box - perhaps being beaten by another fringe party and or losing their deposit. Of course the test for Griffin will be if a parliamentary by-election is called in Barking & Dagenham, East Lancashire, West Yorkshire or another of the BNP so-called 'strongholds'.

Yours sincerely

William Jones, Swansea, Wales

Editors Note: I am sure that the BNP will contest any future parliamentary by-elections if and when they come up in their 'heartland areas'. They would be mad not to. It is a risk that Griffin must take, if he wants the BNP to enter the 'big-league'. If the NF and ED's stand against him, I can't see that being much of a problem, although if UKIP stand too, then the chances of the BNP getting a 'headline-grabbing vote' will be slim. His other problem will be to find a suitable candidate - that is if he does not stand himself. After the BNP's poor result in West Bromwich he may not be over keen to be the candidate again. I do remember that by-election very well and the one held in Preston on the same day. At the time I was chairman of the American Friends of the BNP, and we paid for both the deposits (£500 each) as well as paying for much of the campaign literature in West Bromwich.



Movement News Update

Think back to this year's local election night - May 5th 2006. Despite some disappointments for the BNP in North West England, the party was celebrating sensational victories in the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham, as well as a patchwork of council gains in numerous areas of England.

The prevailing mood among BNP activists was "bring on the next election". No one would have believed that night that the BNP would go right through the summer and into the autumn without a single by-election win - in fact without even coming close to winning a by-election, and with several contests in former target areas where the party was unable even to field a candidate.

Worse still, the weakness of the BNP's true position underlying its apparent success even in Barking & Dagenham has been revealed by truly appalling publicity for new BNP councillor Claire Doncaster, evicted for failing to pay rent on her council flat.

The first BNP by-election campaign since our last issue, in the Grange ward of Rushmoor district council, had a very unusual Tuesday polling day on July 25th. Janette Pedrick took 137 votes in the by-election (11.5%), well down on the 257 votes (16.9%) she obtained in the same ward two months earlier.

On July 27th Barry Fowler flew the BNP flag in the Greenhead ward of Kirklees. Although this is one of the strongest BNP target councils in the country, Greenhead ward (a heavily Pakistani area of Huddersfield) was the party's weakest result there in May.

Even so the by-election was another BNP disappointment, with the party's share of the vote halving. Mr Fowler received 148 votes (3.2%), down from 394 votes (6.7%) in May.

Slightly better news came in a bizarre by-election held on the same day in the Filey ward of Scarborough. Contesting the ward for the first time, the BNP's Patricia Scott gained 181 votes (12.8%), finishing fourth out of seven candidates. The Conservatives retained the seat despite their share of the vote falling to 22.8%.

The fourth by-election of the week was in the Heath ward of Dartford, one of many districts in south-east England plagued by illegal immigrants and fraudulent asylum seekers. BNP candidate Kevin Saunders finished third with 240 votes (13.2%). Steven Uncles of the English Democrats confusingly stood under the New England Party label, and took 174 votes (9.6%), while 179 voters (9.9%) backed the UKIP. So in all almost a third of the ward's voters backed vaguely nationalist candidates!

Better news for the English Democrats was the defection of Conservative councillor Paul Rogan in the Rastrick ward of Calderdale. After thirty-five years in the Conservative Party, Cllr Rogan is now the sole EDP borough councillor. The BNP has two councillors in Calderdale, one of whom is also an ex-Conservative.

If Calderdale voters are confused, they should see the situation in Blackburn with Darwen! Readers will know that H&D's editor, England First Party chairman Mark Cotterill, was elected to the Meadowhead ward of Blackburn with Darwen council in May with one of the highest nationalist votes ever. He was joined by EFP colleague Michael Johnson, elected in Fernhurst ward.

When Conservative councillor Fred Slater died on July 28th, it was obvious that the EFP would contest the ensuing East Rural by-election, since the ward is adjacent to Fernhurst.

In May the Tories took 93.7% of the East Rural vote, so no one really expected England First to win here, but the party had an excellent local candidate in Stephen Hart.

Mr Hart's chances were boosted when the local Conservatives suffered a dramatic split and Julie Slater, daughter-in-law of the deceased councillor, announced she would stand as an independent.

Sadly however, for mysterious reasons so far unexplained, the BNP decided to split the nationalist vote in East Rural and wreck whatever chance the EFP had. Former local BNP organiser Nick Holt, who had been sacked just a few weeks earlier by regional organiser Roy Goodwin, became the party's reluctant kamikaze candidate, fighting his fourth different ward in less than three years.

Even loyal Griffinites on the *Stormfront* internet forum were baffled by the BNP's factional behaviour, and the party received its due reward on September 28th, finishing bottom of the poll. Nick Holt was sixth out of six candidates, with just 70 votes (9.4%). Meanwhile the EFP's Stephen Hart finished third with 99 votes (13.3%), and Julie Slater gained the seat by a majority of eight and with only 28.1% of the vote, underlining a tragically missed opportunity for local racial nationalists.

What we all have to realise is that local voters just don't understand these factional splits. A major topic of conversation in local pubs during the campaign was bemusement at the BNP and the England First Party fighting against

each other. Without a doubt many racially conscious voters didn't support either side and abstained, either in confusion or dismay.

The big test will come next May, when the BNP will have to decide whether to split the vote in the two wards currently held by England First councillors. This is a really big decision, as it will demonstrate whether Mr Griffin's organisation is a serious political party or obsessed by personal spite.

Two other wards were fought by the BNP on September 28th. In the Cribden ward of Rossendale local BNP organiser Kev Bryan won 89 votes (9.1%) to finish bottom of the poll. This was slightly disappointing, but should not really be compared with Mr Bryan's excellent result in the Irwell ward last May, when he took 369 votes (30.5%). That followed a long and arduous campaign, while in Cribden the BNP didn't even know there was a by-election until two days before nominations closed!

The biggest BNP campaign of the week was in the Dunston & Teams ward of Gateshead. Andrew Swaddle finished third out of four candidates with 226 votes (17.9%), compared to 242 votes (13.3%) in the same ward in May. One should also bear in mind that in the all-postal election of 2004 the BNP won 444 votes (18.6%) in this ward, making it the best BNP result in Gateshead that year.

The BNP candidate in that election was Michael Dafter, a convicted Newcastle United football hooligan, but the embarrassment caused by



Candidates and councillors: (above left to right) EFP candidate Stephen Hart finished a creditable third at the East Rural by-election; BNP candidate Nick Holt was shocked to finish bottom of the poll; regional organiser Roy Goodwin now fears for his job; (below left to right) BNP Cribden by-election candidate Kev Bryan, also bottom of the poll; new EDP Calderdale councillor Paul Rogan; BNP North-West election strategist Dave 'Shoulders' Shapcott is blamed for the latest poll disasters



Mr Dafter's convictions pales into insignificance compared to more recent scandals.

The best BNP by-election result for some time came on October 6th in the Shelthorpe ward of Charnwood Borough Council. This is part of Loughborough, an East Midlands town with a substantial white working class electorate which David Cameron's Conservative Party hopes to gain at the next general election.

The by-election was held in the very week of the Conservative Party conference, and must have caused some worries in Bournemouth for a party already reeling from the shock of the East Rural defeat. The BNP's Andrew Holders pushed the Tories into third place, taking 478 votes (28.8%).

This was an excellent performance by the East Midlands BNP, though the party remained 165 votes behind Labour and still badly needs a by-election win to boost morale.

In the same week as the Shelthorpe by-election yet another potential embarrassment loomed in the BNP's accident-prone North West region. Robert Cottage, who was a BNP candidate in Pendle at the May election, appeared in court charged under the Explosive Substances Act following a police raid on his home in Colne, Lancashire. Full details of the case against Mr Cottage are not yet available, though police have said that the chemical components discovered at his home represent their largest ever discovery of its kind in the UK.

A raid on the home of Mr Cottage's co-defendant resulted in the police seizure of rocket launchers and a "nuclear biological suit", among other items, as well as a quantity of BNP literature.

Coming less than a week after the BNP's very poor showing in the two Lancashire by-elections, NW Regional organiser Roy Goodwin is now under mounting pressure to resign. It would seem his successor is to be former regional organiser Bev Jones, who has been telling everybody she will have her old job back before Christmas.

Meanwhile Joe Owens, a racial nationalist activist for thirty years and a former security chief for Nick Griffin, is set to make more serious allegations against a BNP councillor from the Yorkshire region. Mr Owens, previously accused of being a gangland assassin, says that the councillor tried to hire him to commit serious crimes. Nationalist internet forums such as *Stormfront* and *VNN* have so far censored the story, which will be covered in further detail in the next Movement News.

Barking & Dagenham, seen as the BNP's greatest success story just a few months ago, is rapidly turning into another tale of woe. The grimmest story involves the Doncaster family. Cllr Claire Doncaster, one of two BNP representatives for Alibon ward, was evicted by her own council in August after failing to pay £2,280 in rent arrears on her council flat. Her mother Cllr Sandra Doncaster, who represents Valence ward alongside the half-Turkish Lawrence Rustem, is also threatened with eviction for failure to pay council tax and has faced damaging publicity over the behaviour of a coach company which she runs.

BNP group leader Richard Barnbrook has been struggling to maintain the party's credibility. With the Doncasters threatening to turn the BNP into a local laughing stock, Cllr Barnbrook is facing an attempted coup by another councillor who has an eye on the group leader's allowance



More of the wrong sort of headlines for the BNP. Cllr Claire Doncaster (above left) was evicted by Barking & Dagenham Council for failure to pay her rent; her mother Cllr Sandra Doncaster (above right) is also in council tax arrears and faces allegations about her business; Cllr David Enderby (below left) was charged with three counts of assault against his mother-in-law; is South African state informant Arthur Kemp (below right), seen here with Jackie Griffin, about to join the BNP payroll?



and expense account.

Another councillor in trouble is David Enderby, the BNP's sole representative in Redditch. Back in June Cllr Enderby's agent Kevin Hughes received a thirty month jail sentence for an alleged "racially motivated assault" - at least this could be construed as an establishment set-up. The latest arrest is potentially much worse. Cllr Enderby himself has been charged with three counts of assaulting his estranged wife and mother-in-law.

Up in Calderdale one of the BNP's most successful councillors, Richard Mulhall, continues to fight charges of benefit fraud amid fears that he could be imprisoned, leading to his expulsion from the Calderdale council. This former BNP flagship would then be reduced to one councillor, the former Tory Geoff Wallace.

Against this background of alleged criminality and gross financial mismanagement (see pp 14-15 of this issue) it looks a strange time for the BNP to be launching a new business, but it seems Nick Griffin has not learned from the scandal which surrounded his entry into the second-hand car business soon after his election to the party leadership in 1999.

The latest BNP business venture is Albion Life, which hopes to sell

insurance policies to party supporters which will eventually produce lump sum payments to the BNP. Predictably anti-fascist opponents and establishment stooges are already on the case. Any benefit to the party is likely to be outweighed by bad publicity and legal expenses.

The most sinister story circulating in BNP circles concerns Arthur Kemp, an ex-sergeant in the security branch of the South African police and an informant for the National Intelligence Service against his former nationalist comrades.

It seems that Mr Kemp has been approached to become a paid business adviser to the BNP. His colleagues had better hope that they never end up in court, since as well as informing on his former friends in South Africa Mr Kemp actually testified against them in court and they ended up with life sentences.

Information revealed in court proceedings showed that Arthur Kemp was "sub-source 46" for the National Intelligence Service. After being hired by South African nationalists to compile an alleged "hit list" detailing the home addresses of prominent left-wingers (a list later used in the assassination of communist leader Chris Hani), Kemp sold information about the "hit list" and the activities of his comrades to Jerry Pieterse, a "journalist" who was actually NIS agent Z0066.

Quizzed later about this betrayal, Kemp insisted that he hadn't known he was dealing with the intelligence service, he thought he was just selling information about his comrades to a journalist and "he was battling a bit financially at the time and he could use the money."

One of his former colleagues later said in sworn testimony that she had never suspected Kemp: "Mr Kemp was on the payroll of Mr Pieterse. ...I never queried it, I didn't know he was on somebody's payroll."

Well now it appears that Mr Kemp is going to be yet another employee on Mr Griffin's payroll in a party on the verge of bankruptcy and crippled by the manipulations of state agents.

Peter Rushmore, Manchester, England



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Volume 2: *For Race and Nation*

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Having been very active in the Tower Hamlets branch of the BNP, I was delighted when asked to review these double DVDs as this was to be a personal trip down memory lane. The volumes run for 2 hours 52 minutes and 2 hours 51 minutes respectively. The sound and picture quality is very good to excellent. On initial viewing I was glued to the screen staying up to 3:00am until I had seen it all and it is no exaggeration to say that I've watched them again with viewing pleasure undiminished.

The discs are both a social commentary and a historical document of the wilderness years of British Nationalism when John Tyndall kept the flame burning brightly. They hark back to a bygone era when it was very hard to be a nationalist (for one thing you had to be white and European!); when the political climate was very different to that of today and when physical conflict with the reds was a fact of life.

Of the actual footage there is everything from the first ever party election broadcast (1983) to BNP on-the-spot camera scenes showing violent election meeting clashes with AFA and Red Action (the highlight for many will be Tony Lecomber being attacked and dragged off by the police in handcuffs!). There are scenes from the infamous BNP demo in Dewsbury, W Yorks (1989) which resulted in an Asian riot (how dare we want our country back!) and which first brought the BNP to prominence.

There is also the legendary East End of London Rights for Whites campaign – marches, election meetings, interviews with locals etc. A large section is devoted to various black power/red rabble marches against so-called BNP-inspired race attacks in S.E. London where they would march against the party bookshop in Welling. This includes the ones organised by black American agitator Al Sharpton and those to commemorate the deaths of Stephen Lawrence and Roland Adams.

There is much more footage besides and too numerous to mention from all over the country including Scotland (featuring a young Steve Cartwright before his conversion to Griffinism) and which points up what good value for money these sets are. For me, though, the highlight is seeing the black power march through Bermondsey, S.E. London come well and truly unstuck as the BNP rallied a whole estate to its side in opposing the outsiders - Bermondsey is still mostly white - and militantly sending them packing.

Many ordinary voters openly confront politically correct journalists, unafraid to express "racist" opinions. One insists: "I've got

a Union Jack and I'm going to fly it from my balcony. They're not turning us into another Brixton."

Alongside such fine patriots there are examples of craven cowardice. A white resident of Welling, where a gang of blacks and far left troublemakers threw petrol bombs in attempts to destroy the BNP's famous bookshop, pathetically whines: "If that place was closed down we wouldn't have this problem at all, because we are not racists at all." The local police chief superintendent, on a day when the BNP's opponents had run riot in Welling and looted local

shops, says "it gives me no pleasure at all to be protecting" the BNP's premises.

The first volume brings back memories of some of the first media attention given to the BNP as it emerged from the shadow of the declining National Front. The infamous BBC *Panorama* programme features Manchester BNP and militant anti-fascist Steve Tilsey, who is interviewed without mention of his criminal conviction for kidnap. Tilsey's allies in the Jewish militant "Community Security Organisation" are interviewed, "operating with the full approval of the police" and receiving police training.

Party spokesmen by contrast are regularly challenged about the robust response of our members to red provocation. At one London meeting journalists and cameramen repeatedly broke an agreement to film only the platform, harassing members of the audience and pushing cameras in their faces. As this reviewer well remembers, some of the audience responded vigorously!

To his eternal credit, John Tyndall refused to disown his supporters: "I don't condone the bottle throwing last night, but if our people were bloody angry, then I sympathise with them."

While highlighting alleged violence by nationalists, the mainstream media ignore the other side of the picture. A classic example is the interview at the Hare & Hounds pub in Todmorden with North West regional organiser Ken Henderson who is forced to defend members who were "a bit hot headed". When the same pub was viciously attacked by red gangsters a few months later, terrorising the

landlord's wife and child, there was not a word from the media.

The main thread that runs through all four discs is that all trouble on BNP activities was started by our opponents, even though it was often finished by us or by patriotic locals! Both of these productions are highly exciting and very entertaining offering excellent value for money and will be enjoyed by veteran nationalists and those much newer to the fold. I will go as far as to say that these (and later planned volumes in the series) will become cult viewing for English-speaking racial nationalists.

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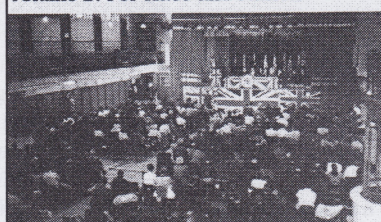
The BNP Chronicles Volume 1: *The Bad Old Days*



A double DVD
Total running time: 2 hours 52 minutes

This is the first volume in a series of DVDs chronicling the growth and development of the British National Party. It is made up of news clips, documentaries, activist footage and the party's own footage e.g. party political broadcasts etc.
Veteran nationalists will not have to be told, but those newer to nationalism need to be aware, that a high percentage of this footage was produced by the media establishment – the enemy of both the British National Party and the British people.

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1891: York Hall (top); Bermondsey (bottom)



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